

# WEATHER FORECASTS

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## Canada's Premier Sends Confidence Note to Minister

Hon. Parker J. Moloney, Minister of Markets for Australia, Receives Encouraging Telegram From Prime Minister in Regard to Canadian-Australian Pact Now in Negotiation

### Delegation Will Meet Cabinet Here to Talk Matter of Trade

Expressing confidence that the Government of the Dominion of Canada and the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia would be able to complete a trade treaty which will be of advantage to the two countries, is noted in a farewell telegram from Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, received by Hon. Parker J. Moloney, Minister of Markets and Transport for Australia, on his arrival in Victoria yesterday afternoon.

The telegram conveys the feeling existing between Canada and Australia and was replied to in equally friendly terms by Mr. Moloney.

The Australian Minister of Markets and Transport, who is on his way home from attending the London Conference, arrived in Victoria from the Mainland yesterday afternoon and was given a cordial welcome on his arrival in the Capital City of British Columbia.

**OTTAWA MEETING**  
In an interview with newspapermen following his arrival, Mr. Moloney stated it would be impossible and unwise for him to discuss treaty matters before returning to his own country. He did say, however, that Australia had not fared as well as might have been expected at the conference and held out hopes that the next meeting in Ottawa would be productive of greater results. Asked if Australia would send representatives to the Ottawa conference, Mr. Moloney stated he considered it would be advisable and expressed the hope that it might be himself. "I had a very cordial telegram from Premier Bennett and I can assure the Canadian people that we, in Australia, appreciate the good will of the Canadian people and I will endeavor to return that expression of confidence from the Australian Government," Mr. Moloney said.

**PREMIER'S TELEGRAM**  
The following is the text of the telegram received by Mr. Moloney yesterday afternoon:

Please accept best wishes from myself and all members of our Government for health, happiness and prosperity during the new year, with sincere appreciation of the eminently fair manner in which you have approached the problems of mutual concern to Australia and Canada. I am confident that we will be able to complete a trade treaty which will be of advantage to our respective countries. Please convey to your Prime Minister and the people of Australia the best wishes of the Canadian people with sincere hope that we have reached the low level of depression and that the future will be one of steady and continued progress. Warmest personal regards to yourself, Mrs. Moloney and the members of your party.  
R. B. BENNETT.

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## HAS NO PANACEA FOR TROUBLES OF AGRICULTURISTS

Hon. Robert Weir Denies Advocating Reduction in Farm Production

SAYS BETTER QUALITY MUST BE OBJECTIVE

BRANDON, Jan. 6 (CP).—"I have never at any time advocated less acreage in wheat or more, or to produce more bacon or less, or more dairy butter or less, as a solution to the problems confronting the farmer today," said Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, addressing Manitoba livestock breeders tonight.

He said that he had not come west to offer any panacea for the farm troubles of today, and that he is not in a position either to give advice or meet the problem.

"However," he stated, "it is not a question of wheat acreage, but that the ground is tilled for the best seed, so what we produce will be produced at the lowest cost, the best blood in the livestock, feed the most economical feeds and reduce the wastage in freight by using coastwise grain for feed."

It is likewise necessary that we have trained, highly-specialized men engaged in safeguarding the health of better animals and more to cooperate in solving the problems.

**WILL CONSULT PROVINCES**  
Any policies enunciated by the Federal department will first be submitted to the provincial departments of agriculture in order that there will be no overlapping. Mr. Weir promised. Producers must be directed in the channels that help get the produce into the right markets.

Hon. Mr. Weir had no doubt about the future of agriculture, although he saw no royal road ahead. There never was a time, he said, when all persons needed more to cooperate in solving the problems and to follow the firm foundations set by their pioneering forefathers in Eastern Canada.

## Seeks Nomination for The Islands



ROBERT D. HARVEY  
Who has yielded to insistent pressure by friends to allow his name to go before the Conservative nominating convention, which on January 11, will select a candidate to contest the Islands riding at an early election. The seat was made vacant by the resignation of Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., who retired on appointment to the Federal Pension Tribunal.

## AMY JOHNSON MAY QUIT SOLO FLIGHT TO CHINESE CAPITAL

LONDON, Jan. 6 (AP).—Amy Johnson, the aviatrix, today told The Evening Standard by telephone from Warsaw that she may abandon her solo flight to Peiping across Siberia.

"I hate to give up," she said, "but it seems quite likely now that I may have to abandon my trip." Miss Johnson's plane was damaged in a landing near Warsaw.

## Indian Conference Receives Setbacks In Plans for Gov't

Conservative Delegates Doubt Workability of Sapru Scheme—Attempts to Settle Hindu-Muslim Dispute Fails. But Efforts Will Be Renewed—Members Still Hopeful of Success

**Premier MacDonald Urges Agreement**

LONDON, Jan. 6 (CP).—The advance of the Round Table Conference on India towards the goal of a new order in that country, met, in a sense, a double check. Developments, stated briefly, were:

1. The attitude of the British Conservative delegation towards Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru's plan of responsible government with safeguards proved to be coldly noncommittal. The Conservatives do not definitely reject the plan. According to Sir Sapru's own words, their spokesmen, they doubt the workability of the scheme, but will reserve final judgment until the Federal picture is filled.

2. Renewed attempts to settle the Hindu-Muslim dispute failed, but are again to be renewed.

In the minorities committee this afternoon the Hindu-Muslim position was somewhat clarified but, apparently, was no nearer a solution. Sir Muhammad Shafi, Moslem spokesman, declared that while retaining their faith in a system of separate electorates, the Moslems were willing, for the sake of peace, to consent to a joint electorate. But Sir Muhammad intimated that, as an irreducible minimum of demand, the Moslems desire, in compensation, to have concessions in the Punjab and Bengal beyond those offered by the Hindus. The Hindus declined, as they have declined before, to grant these extra concessions and thus the representatives of the two communities are again deadlocked.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald pleaded for other efforts towards an agreement, insisting that these efforts again fail, "then we shall have to consider the problem of the assumption that there will be no settlement."

And while the drawbacks multiply and the Hindu-Muslim clouds continue to hang low, there is still a feeling among the delegates that the conference will be fruitful of results. It is common talk that British Labor and Liberals are agreed upon responsible government for India along the lines laid down by the Sapru plan and will thus ensure a majority in the House of Commons to make the necessary legislation effective.

## YOUTH LOST IN BUSH AT RUPERT

Provincial Police Searching for Boy Who Disappeared January 2

Search parties organized by the Provincial Police are scouring the bush on Kaien Island for a youth named Antifol, who has been lost since January 2, when he was first seen. It was stated at the headquarters of the force here yesterday.

Following word from Staff Sergeant McNeill, at Prince Rupert, yesterday afternoon, a special police detail of six men was added to those searching for the missing youth.

Only meagre details of the incident have been received here so far, but it is understood Antifol lost his way while traversing a dense section of the forest.

## RAY OF HOPE FOR END OF STRIKE SOON

South Wales Coal Mine Owners and Workers Will Meet Again Today

### GRAVE CONDITIONS IN WARWICKSHIRE

Threat of a Lockout Develops in Textile Industry in Old Land

LONDON, Jan. 6 (AP).—A ray of hope shot late tonight through the clouds which have gathered around negotiations to settle the South Wales coal dispute that put 140,000 miners out of work last week.

After a meeting between William Graham, President of the Board of Trade, and miners' representatives—the last of many conferences held today—it was announced the mine owners and representatives of the men would meet again tomorrow. It was regarded as an encouraging sign that the parties to the dispute had agreed to get together again.

**STRIKE MAY SPREAD**  
In the meantime, officials fear the stoppage of work may spread to other fields. There are indications a grave condition is arising in Warwickshire, one of the more important coal-producing areas.

A new note of trouble—threat of a lockout—developed in the textile industry as the aftermath to the strike yesterday of 3,500 weavers in the Burnley area, who walked out in protest against the system calling for one weaver to eight looms, instead of the four previously. The men contend such action will increase unemployment.

## He Refused Million for His Memoirs

General J. J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the United States Expeditionary Force, refused an offer of \$1,000,000 for the exclusive rights to his story, "My Experiences in the World War," from one of the leading newspapers.

The story will be published serially in The Colunist, commencing January 13.

General Pershing says that he first went to France. The Allied armies were anxious to use his First Division troops as reinforcements to the French Expeditionary Force. This he would not countenance and some tense moments developed as a result of his insistence that the United States divisions should act as a separate army.

Not all of the general's story is keyed in the grave drabness of war. He is possessed of a sense of humor, and enlivened his narrative with such incidents as the army mule that insisted on accompanying the French high command on an inspection of the American troops.

The frankness of General Pershing's story has caused the United States officialdom at the commencement of the Republic's participation in hostilities to be bound by the French high command, and such incidents as the army mule that insisted on accompanying the French high command on an inspection of the American troops.

Watch for this interesting story, which will appear exclusively in The Colunist in British Columbia.

## THREE KILLED WHEN PLANE HITS HANGAR

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 6 (AP).—Three men were killed today and a fourth was probably fatally injured when the pilot, blinded by a dust storm, crashed his plane into a hangar.

A plane owned by Colonel Roberto Fierro, noted Mexican flyer, stored in the hangar, was wrecked.

## News Items in Brief

**RECEIVES APPOINTMENT**  
WINNIPEG, Jan. 6 (CP).—York Factory, enterprising little port in Manitoba's far-flung Northern frontier, today boasts its first police magistrate, Chris Harding, veteran of the Northland trails for twenty-four years, has been appointed to the post.

**OPPOSES PERMIT SYSTEM**  
TORONTO, Jan. 6 (CP).—A resolution urging the abolition of the permit system in connection with the sale of native wines was passed yesterday by the Ontario Wine Manufacturers' Association, and a deputation will present it to the Liquor Control Board of Ontario.

**GANDHI'S SON SENTENCED**  
BOMBAY, India, Jan. 6 (AP).—Ramdas Gandhi, son of Mahatma Gandhi, today was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at hard labor. He was arrested last month for delivering a speech on civil disobedience.

**LORD CARSON RECOVERS**  
LONDON, Jan. 6 (CP).—Lord Carson, former Attorney-General and noted Northern Ireland leader,

## Eight Are Killed by Explosion

GLEN ROGERS, W. Va., Jan. 6 (AP).—Seven bodies had been recovered tonight from the Raleigh Wyoming Company's mine near here, scene of an explosion of local character early today, and search was continued for an eighth man, killed by the blast.

Approximately forty other miners escaped after the blast. State mine inspectors were preparing at the time to enter the mine for the monthly inspection.

They immediately took up the task of directing the work of rescue. The mine normally employs about 450 miners on the day and night shifts.

## PLANE WHEEL IS FOUND ON ANNETTE ISLE

Relic May Have Been Part of Equipment of Renahan Ship

**WIRELESS OPERATOR JOINS SEARCH PARTY**

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Jan. 6 (AP).—An airplane wheel, believed to be part of the wreckage from the Pilot Robin Renahan plane, lost since October 28, was brought here today from Point Davidson, Annette Island, fifteen miles south of here.

The Rev. Edward Marsden, pastor at Metlakatla, a native village, found the wheel on a beach about a week ago while hunting.

Renahan carried wheels in his pontoon-equipped plane when he dropped from sight.

It was found at Point Davidson, fifteen miles south of here, about a week ago and brought here yesterday.

The wheel, painted red, carried an inflated tire, 32 by 6, and bore the Goodrich airplane Silverstone brand. The number on the tire was 924,715.

Preliminary arrangements for a symposium on the British Columbia hinterland between Prince Rupert and Telegraph Creek have been completed following the arrival of Pilot Eckmann and his mechanic at the Northern city, and it is understood no time will now be lost in scouring the territory as closely as possible.

Yesterday was clear and frosty on the Northern coast, following an extended spell of dull weather; and in the advice to the police last evening, Eckmann reported that he had made several coastal flights.

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## TWO SUMMER HOUSES DESTROYED BY FIRE

Third Cottage at White Rock Badly Scorchd Before Flames Are Under Control

WHITE ROCK, B.C., Jan. 6 (CP).—Two completely destroyed two Summer cottages near White Rock, shortly after 9 o'clock tonight, and a third cottage was badly scorched before the flames were brought under control.

The destroyed dwellings, standing directly in the rear of Hardy's store, were noticed ablaze shortly after 9 o'clock. Residents of the district turned out and fought desperately in an effort to save the two buildings, but without success.

A pump was sent from Blaine, across the international boundary, while the fire was at its height, and through its assistance, the third building was saved from complete destruction.

It was not known here tonight who owned the cottages, and no estimate of the losses could be obtained, as the people who lived in the cottages had been away on a trip.

The opinion that the blaze was possibly started by tramps, who were living in the buildings.

## DOLE PREVENTED BIG REVOLUTION

Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George Expresses Views on British Unemployment

**TIME TO BUILD AN ARK**

BARMOUTH, Wales, Jan. 6 (AP).—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, former Liberal Premier, expressed the opinion here today that there would have been a revolution long ago had it not been for the British dole.

He said, however, that in retrospect he believed it would have been better to spend the money in providing work rather than maintaining unemployed in idleness.

Speaking at the laying of the foundation stone of a sea defence works which will cost approximately \$650,000, the former Premier declared that unemployment seemed to be creeping over the world because there was too much wealth, too much corn, iron, coal, steel, and other products.

He opposed making provision for unemployed, but he felt that a time of depression and unemployment offered an opportunity to attend to things overlooked in a time of prosperity.

"There is a deluge," he said, "with the rain falling on both the innocent and guilty. Now is the time to build an ark."

## FEDERAL AID TO PRAIRIES IS GENEROUS

Plans for Direct Relief to Farmers Discussed at Premiers' Meeting

### SASKATCHEWAN LEADER OUTLINES DISCUSSION

Details Not Announced—Banking Officials Were Called Into Conference

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6 (CP).—Proposals of the Dominion Government in connection with the marketing of the 1930 wheat crop and the conditions under which direct relief to hard-pressed farmers will be provided were discussed at the Premiers of the three Prairie Provinces today by Premier R. B. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett was in conference with Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba; Premier J. T. M. Anderson, of Saskatchewan, and Premier J. E. Brownlie, of Alberta, all day.

A good part of the discussion was concerned with matters arising out of the transfer of resources of the Prairie Provinces from Federal to provincial control, but practically all phases of the agricultural situation were discussed.

**BANK OFFICIALS CALLED**  
Banking officials were called into the meeting, and John I. McFarland, general manager of the central selling agency of the Wheat Pool, was present for a time.

Premier Bennett declined to discuss the conference afterwards, but on behalf of the three provincial Premiers, Premier Anderson gave an outline of what had been talked of.

Mr. Bennett, he said, outlined in detail the proposals of his Government in connection with marketing the 1930 pool crop and set forth the conditions under which seed grain and additional direct relief will be provided where necessary.

Each province is asked to submit details of its exact position in these matters, and then action will be taken.

**AID WILL BE GENEROUS**  
Dr. Anderson declined to say what share of the cost of such relief would be borne by the Dominion Government, but remarked that Mr. Bennett had been most generous, and no difficulty was anticipated.

"It is obvious," he added, "that where the crests of provinces are impaired it is the duty of the Dominion Government to take the situation into consideration."

In connection with the transfer of the natural resources, the provincial Prime Ministers pressed for and received Premier Bennett's assurance that large volumes of records relating to Crown lands would be turned over to the provincial Governments.

The investment of the school lands trust funds and the revenue from it was also discussed.

The closest secrecy was maintained as to the reason for summoning the bank and pool officials. Those present included E. C. Henderson, chairman of the committee of the leading banks; A. G. Ferguson, K.C., solicitor for the committee and one of the men who drafted the original agreement under which the provincial Governments guaranteed the pool liabilities, and J. W. Speers, assistant general manager of the Bank of Montreal.

## PLACID IN COFFIN

Thousands still stood outside the Ecole Militaire, waiting vainly for a last look at the dead hero, when the doors were closed at 8 o'clock tonight and the marshal's body placed in its coffin.

A modest cortege, led by twenty mounted Republican Guards carrying torches, moved away toward the Arc de Triomphe, followed by a plain black hearse bearing the marshal's body. Under the Arc the cortege halted for a minute's silence, while the thousands bared their heads in the chill winter wind. Over the Arc, ablaze with light, soared the salute of canon. Then the cortege started slowly down the Champs Elysees.

**AT NOTRE DAME**  
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**UNITY OF EMPIRE**  
One of the uppermost thoughts in the minds of Canadians, the High Commissioner said, was the unity of the British Empire. He took it that Canadians considered the great struggle to bring about this unity was well worth while. He wished to make no apologies for his Imperial views, he said, but sentiment alone would not hold the Empire together. It required the economic unity of component parts of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

## Aviators Set Record

ALGIER, Algeria, Jan. 6 (AP).—Three Italian aviators, Lomardo, Masotti and Rosini, arrived tonight with a record of having flown naturally around the continent of Africa since leaving Rome in October. They will return to Rome by way of Tunis.

## SOUTH ATLANTIC IS CROSSED BY GROUP OF TEN SEAPLANES

General Balbo's Air Fleet Arrives at Natal, Brazil, Completing 1,875-Mile Flight From Africa in 17 Hours and 15 Minutes—Aviators Are Accorded Great Welcome

### Two Other Planes of Squadron Reported Forced Down at Sea

NATAL, Brazil, Jan. 6 (AP).—Ten great Italian seaplanes roared down into the harbor here today between 4:15 and 4:30 p.m. (2:15 and 2:30 p.m., E.S.T.), to complete one of the most ambitious aviation projects ever attempted.

Another of the twelve scheduled to leave Rome, Portuguese seaplanes, early this morning, was forced down near St. Paul Rock, off the Brazilian coast, and it was reported that the twelfth was unable to rise from the West African coast as the others took off. (Official sources in Rome announced that all twelve planes began the flight with two forced down at sea and taken in charge by Italian warcraft, which lined the route over the South Atlantic.)

The flight of 1,875 miles was completed in approximately 17 hrs. 15 mins. for the first planes which dropped down, as they came in at intervals and flew all the way in the same fashion.

**SQUADRON LIFTS ANCHOR**  
Started at 2 a.m. G.M.T. (9 p.m., Monday, E.S.T.), while darkness still hung over Africa, the Italian squadron lifted anchor and soared out for the long flight across the South Atlantic.

Then at 3:40 a.m. G.M.T. they passed the Darfoe, first of the Italian vessels along the route, and at 4:37 G.M.T. they passed the Tarigo, and at 7:06 G.M.T. flew over the Vivado.

Thereafter they sped over the tossing ocean and crossed the lonely island of Fernando de Noronha at 2:55 p.m. Local time (11:55 a.m., E.S.T.), swung straight for St. Paul's Rock, and finally slipped to a stop on the waters of Natal Harbor at 4:15 p.m.

A great crowd was out to welcome the victors, the people coming from miles around despite heavy rains last night, and it was a thrilling moment, not only for the victors but the aviators who had completed such a long and hazardous trip.

By 4:55 p.m. all the planes were safely anchored and Gen. Italo Balbo, who is Italian Air Minister and also commanded the flight, disembarked with his aides, to be welcomed by Brazilian officials.

The General naturally was elated, for he had said before the start that if half the planes which left Italy on December 17 reached Brazil it would be a remarkable achievement.

After three days here the Italians will go on to Rio de Janeiro.

## BODY OF DEAD MARSHAL LAYS IN CATHEDRAL

National Funeral for Marne Hero Takes Place Today at Paris

**MADAME JOFFRE KNEELS IN PRAYER AT CHAPEL**

PARIS, Jan. 6 (AP).—France today paid its last sad homage to the still form of Marshal Joffre as it lay, banked by flowers, on a catafalque in the chapel of the Ecole Militaire.

Tonight, in a plain oak coffin, which will never be opened again, the marshal's body lay in the Cathedral of Notre Dame. On the coffin was the simple inscription, "Joseph Joffre, Marshal of France, 1852-1931."

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, after funeral services in the cathedral, an impressive cortege will escort the body to the Invalides, where it will repose in a vault for several months before being buried in its final resting place at Louveciennes.

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## FUNERAL RITES SATURDAY

LONDON, Jan. 6 (AP).—Funeral services for Louis, Princess Royal, eldest sister of the King, will be held at St. George's Chapel, Windsor, on Saturday morning. It was announced today. She died Sunday after a long illness.

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## RATEPAYERS TO OPPOSE BY-LAW

Saanich Organization Not in Favor of Proposed \$70,000 Project

### CRITICIZES BOARD

Members of the Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association in session at the Tolmie School last night, passed a resolution to the effect that they are opposed to the \$70,000 High School by-law, which will be submitted to the electors of the municipality on January 17.

The action of the present school board was condemned on the grounds of choice of a frame stucco building, and also for the alleged secrecy maintained by the board with reference to the choice of the site.

Many speakers rose to their feet to criticize the present administration of school affairs in the municipality of Saanich, and the meeting generally was of the opinion that the board was a long way from being efficient.

One speaker went so far as to say that the Central Ratepayers' Association should condemn the action of the members and ask them to get out.

Another speaker stated that the school board was in a worse condition now, than when there were two ladies in the body, and concluded by suggesting that it might help matters to return the ladies to office.

Robert Noble, secretary of the Ratepayers' Association, said, "We have criticized the board very severely, but it is too late. Whenever a man is put up for school board he went in by acclamation, continued the speaker, with a kind of 'Let George do it' policy."

Other speakers voiced their criticisms of the present administration, and appeared to be of the opinion that the work being done by the school board of Saanich left much to be desired.

## Make Efforts To Save Lives Of Fishermen

ASTRAKHAN, U.S.S.R., Jan. 6 (AP).—Rescue parties were mobilized today to save the lives of fifty fishermen and their horses, who were carried out to the Caspian Sea yesterday when a huge mass of ice on which they were fishing broke loose from shore.

A storm which was blowing at the time broke off the berg and carried it far from the shore upon the dangerous waters. Steamers and other planes have been dispatched from Astrakhan, Makhatchkala and banks to aid them.

## Former Head Of Canadian Service Dead

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. McKelvey Bell, prominent in the Canadian Medical Service during the Great War, died today at the Polytechnic Hospital, where he was a member of the medical staff. He was fifty-two years old.

One of the first volunteers with the Canadian forces, Colonel Bell organized the first Canadian hospital at Le Touquet, France. After two years in France he was recalled to Ottawa and appointed deputy director of medical services for Canada. Later, he organized the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, of which he became medical director. He resigned in 1919 to resume private practice, coming to New York.

Other telegrams of confidence and good will were received from Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce of the Dominion, and other members of the Canadian Government. They have all been replied to by the Minister.

Travelling with the Commonwealth Minister are Mrs. Moloney, E. Abbott, Deputy Commissioner of Customs; Mrs. Abbott, and C. Carter, private secretary. Mr. Moloney expressed his satisfaction with the negotiations at Ottawa for a new trade treaty between Canada and Australia.

"Let us strive to keep trade in the family to the mutual advantage of the members of the family," he said, following his arrival on the Coast.

Touching upon the recent visit to Australia of the British Columbia lumber mission, Mr. Moloney said it was the members of this mission that first discussed with him the matter of closer trade relations between the two Dominions washed by the Pacific Ocean.

It was suggested at that time that Mr. Moloney visit Canada in order to spread the growing sentiment of closer trade.

"This is now a strong sentiment in my country," said the Australian Minister.

"I little thought then that I should have such an early opportunity, but as it has come my way, I am glad to find myself returning home with the belief that a lasting treaty will be consummated to the advantage of both countries," Mr. Moloney said.

BUYING IN CANADA  
"There are many things that we in Australia now buy from foreign countries that we might buy from Canada. I will recommend to my Government that so far as possible we should buy these things from Canada and keep the trade in the family. I am glad to be able to say

## Touch of Winter in Eastern States



A Picturesque Snow Scene View of the Archway in Central Park, New York, Bringing Out the Beauty That Jack Frost Can Create With His Pure White Crystalline Creation.

that I have the assurance of your Canadian ministers that they are of the same mind and ready to reciprocate."

The Australian leader paid tribute to the enthusiastic participation of Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, in the treaty negotiations.

"Mr. Stevens has been of the greatest help to me during the negotiations," he said. "Even before I came to Canada, Mr. Stevens had discussed with me the whole question of the Canadian-Australian treaty. Both in London and in Ottawa he has given the matter much valuable study and attention, and has been most enthusiastic in assisting in arriving at an agreement."

ON BOARD SHIP  
On board the Princess Charlotte with the Minister were Hon. J. W. Jones, Minister of Finance for British Columbia and Hugh Dalton, secretary of the British Columbia division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Mr. Moloney was accompanied to the Coast by H. L. McGregor, Australian Trade Commissioner to Ottawa.

Mr. Moloney spent a busy day in Vancouver, Monday, meeting various sections of the Retail Merchants' Association, the representatives of fruitgrowers and others.

WELCOME ON ARRIVAL  
Accorded a wholehearted reception from Government and civic representatives, the Minister, accompanied by a few of the delegates from Australia who attended the London Conference, arrived in Victoria at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon aboard the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Charlotte and will remain in the Capital City until tonight, when he will sail aboard the Aorangi for home.

MEETS PREMIER  
On his arrival the Minister was met by Mayor Anson, representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and Canadian Manufacturers' Association and escorted to the Empress Hotel, where he was introduced to Premier Tolmie and members of the British Columbia Cabinet, following which an informal reception was held at the hotel for Mr. Moloney and members of the Australian delegation.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME  
Following the reception at the Empress Hotel, where they were the guests of dinner of the Lieutenant-Governor, today, Mr. Moloney will attend church service in the morning, address a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and Canadian Manufacturers' Association at the Empress and attend a Government conference.

TO MEET GOVERNMENT  
The conference will be at 11:15 this morning, when Hon. Parker Moloney will meet Premier Tolmie and the Provincial Cabinet in a round table discussion on the purpose of his trade mission to Canada. The whole range of import and export goods will be considered, it is understood, with the object of arriving at a definite understanding mutually agreeable to those who will be parties to the conference.

B.C. LUMBER  
Of particular interest to British Columbia at this time is the determination of the attitude Australia will be enabled to adopt in regard to imports of British Columbia lumber. Australia is interested, too, in finding a steady market for many products, some of which have been staple imports into this country in the past. Much that will be productive of good is expected as a result of the visit of Mr. Moloney to Canada, in his capacity as Minister of Markets and Transport in the Commonwealth Government.

SPLIT LOOMS IN TORONTO CHURCH  
TORONTO, Jan. 6 (CP).—A split in Jarvis Street Baptist Church loomed today when it became known one prominent member of the congregation had been ousted, three others asked to resign and a fourth already resigned from his position as a deacon.

The trouble was caused by what was termed the dictatorial attitude of Dr. T. T. Shields, minister of the church, when he objected to the policy of the Women's Missionary Society. He is said to have issued an ultimatum that either the society withdraw or he would resign as pastor. The society disbanded.

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## Saanich Ratepayer Hears Torrent of Telling Eloquence

THE energy and spirit with which Saanich tackles its municipal problems was never better exemplified than at the activities of the past year as given by the councillor for the ward and problems affecting a high school within the municipality were discussed at length.

The audience, when asked his opinion on the latter question at the close of the meeting, refused to commit himself, but did declare that "it was a mighty fine meeting."

DOUKHOBOR SCHOOLS ARE POORLY ATTENDED  
NELSON, Jan. 6.—Provincial Police are still working on the case of the anonymous letter which last Friday warned Doukhobor officials of the district that all schools in the vicinity would be blown up if Doukhobor students continued to attend the classes.

Meanwhile attendance of Doukhobor pupils at the various schools has varied. Number seven school at Brilliant opened today with twenty-five out of thirty-three Doukhobor pupils present, while at Shoreacres two schools were similarly attended today. Two other schools at Brilliant were opened at noon today with fair attendances.

Two grade schools will open tomorrow with promised full attendances. Most of the pupils at Sloan Park and Winlaw Schools are still absent.

In the Grand Forks district classes continued as usual yesterday and today.

INSPECTORS SUSPENDED  
MONTREAL, Jan. 6 (CP).—Four local customs inspectors have been suspended on orders received from the Department of National Revenue. The officers involved were Divisional Appraiser L. J. Gaudet, Computing Clerks Ralph Garneau and Hector Ainey, and Customs Excise Examiner F. C. Marette. No information was given in connection with the suspensions.

CHEQUE FORGER GIVEN TWO YEARS' SENTENCE  
VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—W. M. Stewart, alias S. L. Tennant, who described himself as a real estate man and builder, was sentenced today to two years in the penitentiary by Judge H. S. Cayley in County Court today, on two charges of uttering forged cheques.

H. G. Duffus, of the Duffus School of Business, and R. J. Spott, of Spott-Shaw Schools, were called in by the Crown as handwriting experts, and it was on their evidence that two cheques, purporting to be signed by B. C. Hood Chapman, of Vancouver, payable to S. L. Tennant, were declared forged.

INDIAN LEADER IS GIVEN JAIL TERM  
BOMBAY, Jan. 6 (AP).—Vallabhai Patel, former acting president of the All-India National Congress, today was sentenced to nine months' simple imprisonment after his arrest on December 6, at Ahmadabad, in connection with a speech made in Bombay.

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He—If fancy I did, but what about it?  
She—Nothing, except that I was thinking—er—how safe we are!

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The city clerk, Charles Jones, will swear in L. D. Taylor as mayor for the next two years. His Worship will then swear in Aldermen E. W. Dean, H. J. De Graves, John Bennett and W. H. Lemke, all of whom were re-elected on December 10 for two years, and Alderman W. Deftford, who was elected for the same period for Ward Seven in succession of Alderman MacInnis.

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man of the Canadian committee, which also comprises Sir Arthur Currie, principal and vice-chancellor of McGill University.

Brigadier-General V. W. Odium,

The Englishman—That new gown  
you are wearing is certainly rip-  
ping, bah jove!

The Girl—Gracious, duke. Where?

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## GREAT BRITAIN'S WAR DEBT

Since Great Britain funded her war debt to the United States she has paid to that country a sum of \$1,285,750,000, of which amount \$202,000,000 represents the repayment of principal. Thus interest payments alone have amounted to over \$1,000,000,000. The rate of interest that Great Britain pays on this debt is approximately 3.36 per cent, a rate which varies over periods of the sixty-two years during which the debt is to be discharged. On the other hand the rate of interest which France pays on her debt to the United States is 1.64 per cent. Belgium pays 1.70 per cent and Italy .405 per cent. These rates of interest were allegedly fixed on the basis of the capacity of the different nations concerned to discharge their indebtedness.

Great Britain, in effected terms of settlement with the United States had no plea of incapacity to pay. She assumed the obligations faithfully on the basis of commercial honor. The outcome has been that Great Britain is paying at a rate of interest more than double that paid by Belgium or France and eight times as much as that paid by Italy. The United States has accepted Great Britain's idea of commercial honor, and Great Britain suffers accordingly in comparison with other nations. There is no suggestion from official sources of any readjustment of debt settlements arising out of the Great War. No proposal has been made from Washington to make the interest paid on these debts at a similar rate in each case. Some ten days ago Great Britain made a payment to the United States Treasury of \$94,339,000, of which \$28,000,000 represented the repayment of principal on her war debt.

## A SUCCESSFUL NOVELIST

Mrs. L. Adams-Beck, one of the most noted of modern-day novelists, has died suddenly in Japan, where she was collecting new materials for stories. She was a prolific writer, under the name of E. Barrington, and it is doing her full justice to say that she caught the spirit of the age, became a best seller and earned lucrative returns from her works. Mrs. Adams-Beck lived here and wrote and lectured here for some years in the course of her world wanderings. There was, therefore, in Victoria, a keener interest than elsewhere might have been aroused by her writings. Measured from the standpoint of personal gain she was a most successful novelist.

Mrs. Beck, in her novels, had the faculty of disturbing preconceived ideas about the heroes and heroines whom she chose to depict. Her Cleopatra is not as fascinating a figure as Shakespeare has chosen to send stalking across the world's stage. There is none of the greatest in language or in emotion attached to the Queen of Egypt that Shakespeare invests his character with—a character which, because of his play, will live for all time. Mrs. Beck, in Cleopatra, in Lady Hamilton, in others of her historic portrayals, modernized them too much, though in so doing she unquestionably caught the popular imagination. We may doubt the manner in which she followed the sequential happenings of history. We may deplore the way in which she has dwarfed figures which stand as landmarks on the path of time, but it is necessary to acknowledge that she did the fair for producing books that sold well and brought her handsome rewards. Her literary efforts produced wealth, and that is how literature is measured in these latter days.

## SCIENTIFIC CONTRADICTIONS

There is one question that has arisen out of speculation on Sir James Jeans' "Mysterious Universe," namely, "Does science know where it is?" There is no more conflicting testimony in any phase of human experience than that which deals with the fate of the universe. Sir James says that, "the new planes may compel us to abandon our ideas as to the origin of the sun's family." Then again, Dr. Eddington says, that "all space is within a sphere; what is outside is nowhere." The same authority opines that space is not infinite, but limited; that it is expanding at the rate of 1 per cent in 20,000 years. Then comes Sir James Jeans again to assure us that the universe is melting away, while, as opposed to this, Dr. Milikan claims that creation is always going on in the universe. Professor Einstein says that nothing is faster than light waves, but Mr. Bertrand Russell believes there are various reasons for doubting whether Einstein's universe can be quite right. The same authority claims that "the sun does not exert any force on the planets; in Einstein's law of gravitation the planet only pays attention to what it finds in its own neighborhood."

The fact of the matter is, in relation to the latest application of mathematics, that we are forced to the conclusion that no longer is it true that if science says so it is so. In other words, science is in a state of flux. Professor Einstein has disturbed all previous conceptions of space. Where is science reaching? One conclusion is that it is grouping itself into two schools—the physicists and the mathematicians. The products of one group run largely to symbols and algebraic formulae which could be variously interpreted to prove anything or nothing.

In the "Mysterious Universe" of Sir James Jeans mathematics baffle. He attempts to prove by figures that there will be a final extinction of life. On the other hand, Professor Thomson advances the suggestion that it is well to disregard speculations about the remote future. Sir James Jeans has reduced the odds on total annihilation to an exact sum. He estimates that it is ten multiplied by 420,000 million times to one against a single atom of the universe surviving. In reply to this estimate Mr. Arthur Mee, the editor of the Children's Encyclopedia, says: "Happily for our faith in the Purpose which created our universe and gives promise of life without end, Jeans is not unchallenged. Light is matter, ponderable, weighable; sufficiently

concentrated, it could knock a man down if it did not burn him up. . . . When we are asked to accept the incredible we may sometimes feel emboldened to beseech our mentors to remember in the name of God, as Oliver Cromwell once said to those about him, that possibly they may be mistaken."

## PROTECTION GAINS SUPPORTERS

Forty years residence in the United States, twenty of which have been spent as British Consul-General at New York, has persuaded Sir Harry Armstrong that there is very great need of a protective tariff policy in Great Britain. He is now seventy years of age and is returning to his native country, but not to vegetate, as he tells The New York Times. He is determined, he says, to spread the gospel of a high protective tariff, for it is in that he sees the possibilities of the growth not only of Great Britain but of the entire Empire.

Among others who have become persuaded that protection is essential to development in the present-day competitive world is Sir Andrew Macphail. His dictum on the subject is as follows: "When Great Britain finally decides that the first duty of a nation is self-protection, even against her own, and declares economic warfare against the whole world which is now at economic war with her that will be the time to enact those mutual agreements within the Empire which up to the present have been sought in vain. When the Empire is so consolidated into a foreign nation will then be free to apply for terms. The subtlety of safeguarding must be abandoned for a protection that is frank and thorough; if Great Britain requires instruction she will not have far to go to learn. She knows already to her cost the schedules of other countries."

## AN ENCOURAGING CONTRAST

When Grandpa and Grandmama were patterns of propriety. One could not be surprised to find they read a book or two. Poor things, their lives were lacking in distinction and variety. You might as well turn bookworm when there's nothing else to do.

They rarely danced, they never golfed or rushed a petrol bus about. And night clubs were unknown to them, though nightclubs they had seen. They had never had a wireless set to fiddle with and fuss about. And no one ever brayed at them from talkies on a screen.

They never pondered crossword clues of awful ingenuity. They never went aloft for "flips" in glider or in plane. In short, their lives were lumpy—oh! distinctly thick and suety—But what a scope they offered for a publisher's campaign!

Without resort to gullef ramps or any form of crook-liness. Our parents' parents should have been the book-producers' prey. Theirs might have been the era of unmitigated book-liness. In volume and intensity unparalleled today. But is that how the figures stand? My goodness, not a bit of it! You cannot say that books were then more recklessly supplied. The picture is impossible; the facts will not admit it. The book-producing record is a Neo-Georgian pride. O golly, what an endless spate our presses keep on pumping out! How richly and incessantly arrive the new supplies! While novelists are busy at the priestly task of bumping out.

A former eighty thousand words to twice its proper size. Observe the noble spectacle of any Christmas bookery—O contemplate its tribute to the active modern mind! From tomes about philosophy to cocktail lore and cookery. There isn't a branch of knowledge that has not been underlined.

So Grandpa and Grandmama, their fires are ineffectual. Their feeble, insufficient gleam our greater glow devour. In spite of all the time they had for efforts intellectual. Their appetite for letterpress was not a patch on ours.

So let us have no more complaints from critics disingenuous. Who point accusing fingers at the breathless modern breed; In spite of all distractions and a pace that grows more strenuous. The more we have to do, the more extensively we read.

And, as the winter dawdles on and days grow bleak and rainier, Ah! let us take this comfort to our souls and hug it fast. That, judging by our book supply, we must indeed be brainier. Than any generation of the slow and sluggish past. —By "Luslo," in The Manchester Guardian.

We are no other than a moving row of visionary shapes that come and go.—Omar Khayyam.

## The Weather

A severe ocean storm is approaching this Coast, and unsettled weather is becoming general on the Pacific Slope. Mild weather extends eastward to Alberta; cooler weather to Manitoba.

| Precipitation | Rain  | Snow   | Min. | Max. |
|---------------|-------|--------|------|------|
| Vancouver     | Trace | —      | 40   | 42   |
| Vancouver     | 0.1   | —      | 38   | 41   |
| Kamloops      | —     | —      | 32   | 38   |
| Prince George | —     | —      | 12   | 34   |
| Estevan Point | 24    | —      | 32   | 44   |
| Prince Rupert | —     | —      | 34   | 42   |
| Dawson        | —     | 22 1/2 | 12b  | —    |
| Seattle       | Trace | —      | 40   | 44   |
| Portland      | 31    | —      | 40   | 46   |
| San Francisco | —     | —      | 44   | 54   |
| Spokane       | —     | —      | 32   | 38   |
| Los Angeles   | —     | —      | 30   | 43   |
| Penitencia    | —     | —      | 40   | 60   |
| Vernon        | —     | —      | 30   | 38   |
| Grand Forks   | —     | —      | 30   | 35   |
| Nelson        | 1     | —      | 32   | 37   |
| Calgary       | —     | —      | 20   | 32   |
| Edmonton      | —     | —      | 18   | 28   |
| Saskatoon     | —     | —      | 22   | 40   |
| Prince Albert | —     | —      | 6    | 26   |
| Qu'Appelle    | —     | —      | 16   | 34   |
| Winnipeg      | —     | —      | 0    | 18   |

Maximum — 42  
Minimum — 40  
Average — 41  
Minimum on grass — 35

## General state of weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.82; wind, E, 4 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.82; wind, E, 6 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.72; wind, S, 4 miles; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S, 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.68; wind, S.E., 16 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.76; wind, E, 12 miles; raining.

Pyland—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.98; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

For I am nothing, if not critical. And make me rather bear those ills we have, Than fly to others that we know not of.—Shakespeare.

Our pertinacious Free Trade friend and inveterate critic, Mr. F. J. Bourne, of the Glenahiel Hotel, writes and tells us that the appeal of the Jubilee Hospital for assistance (Mr. Bourne calls it the dole bill of destitution) might be likely to fall upon more sympathetic ears if the hospital authorities were to furnish the public with a certified audit of accounts. But our Free Trade friend believes that as Protectionists his suggestion will not appeal to us. The connection between Free Trade or Protection and the needs of the hospital is not quite clear, but we have no doubt that if Mr. Bourne is thinking of making a substantial contribution to a very useful and necessary institution he will make inquiry at the office of the hospital, he will be furnished with all the information he desires.

We are going to tell Mr. Bourne a little story which was told to us on the evening of the day upon which an appeal was made on behalf of the Jubilee Hospital. The story is not long, and therefore will not bore our champion of Free Trade, and we shall tell it because it explains the position of the hospital. It was told to us by a late patient of the Jubilee. The medical adviser of a prospective patient recommended the Jubilee Hospital. When asked why he specially recommended the provincial hospital, the doctor said he recommended it in this particular case and in all other cases in which he was interested because when you enter the Jubilee Hospital you do not have to worry about expense; you let the other people do all the worrying. A patient whose mind is at ease about financial matters reacts more favorably and speedily to medical treatment than a patient who is oppressed by apprehensions of big bills. If Mr. Bourne will look into this matter, we believe he will find that the statement of the wise medical man is not without substance. The circumstances of the Jubilee Hospital are identical with the circumstances of every public hospital, or with the circumstances of every public institution for that matter.

After taking a side swipe at the hospital, which was rather unexpected, our critic, of course, had to take a direct shot at Protection, which was not unexpected. Mr. Bourne suggests that Protection is working badly in the United States because many banks are failing and twenty-five thousand people in the state of New York have "gone upon the dole." We do not know that anyone ever claimed that Protection is an absolute defence against a worldwide business depression. The United States has been a Protectionist country ever since the day when we first began to pay some attention to the affairs of the nation. The United States has prospered exceedingly under the system of Protection. Possibly the country would have been even more prosperous under a system of Free Trade. That is merely a matter of opinion or of speculation, but it will never be determined by a change from one system to the other. During its history depressions, and even panics, have occurred in the United States; but we have never heard of those periodical tribulations being attributed to the fiscal policies of governments. The nation has had its ups and downs in trade, but it has enjoyed long periods of abounding prosperity, and its people enjoy a higher standard of living than the people of any other nation in the world, not even excepting the people of Canada.

But all the people of the United States, notwithstanding their exceptional opportunities, have not succeeded in accumulating competence. The twenty-five thousand people of New York who are alleged to have gone upon the dole are aged people who have become eligible for old-age pensions. The states have been slow in making provision for their aged people. An old-age pension system has been in vogue in Britain for several years. Free Trade has not enabled all the people of Great Britain to make ample provision for their declining years. Free Trade has not proved a panacea for all the business ills of the British people. It has not arrested the general depression at the ports of the country and prevented it from finding an entrance there. If business is bad in the United States and might be better in Canada, there probably never was a time in the history of Great Britain when the future of the British Empire was the cause of so much anxiety to responsible statesmen and directors of industry. Will Mr. Bourne venture to suggest that the abolition of Protection and the adoption of Free

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After a courteous hearing, the delegation was advised to take the matter up directly with the Liquor Control Board, which made the order in respect to licence increases. This, it is understood, was done in the day, the delegation renewing its requests before a joint committee of the Cabinet with members of the board.

Under recent regulations the board secured authority to increase the range of licence fees in respect to veterans' clubs from the previous limits of from \$100 to \$500, to amended limits of from \$100 to \$1,000. Notice of increased licence fees was served on the clubs in respect to this year.

## REPORTS SUCCESS IN COLONIZATION

Twelve Per Cent Only of 4,107 Families Settled Have Failed

LOCAL MAN RE-ELECTED

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6.—A total of 4,107 families were settled on the land since 1925 by the Canadian Colonization Association and only 12 per cent of this number failed. It was stated by Colonel J. S. Dennis, of Montreal, Colonel Dennis, president of the association, addressed the annual convention of the organization held here.

Colonel Dennis stated there had been marked results with British families, due to careful selection and constant supervision. A sum of \$55,115,202 for the purchase of 936,934 acres had been spent to date, he declared. Last year 489 families had been colonized on 92,666 acres, the purchase price being \$1,862,919.

The election of officers occurred today. Colonel Dennis was re-elected president; P. L. Naismith (Victoria), vice-president; the following to the board of directors, C. C. Coleman (Winnipeg), C. T. Jeffray (Minneapolis, Minn.), C. Bowman (Waterloo, Ont.), James A. Richardson (Winnipeg), J. N. K. MacAllister (Montreal), S. O. Porter (Calgary), George A. Walker (Ottawa) and W. J. Blake Wilson (Vancouver).

T. O. Herzer was reappointed manager of the association and A. E. Love secretary-treasurer.

## RHEUMATISM FORCES MAYOR TO ABANDON DUTIES AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 6 (AP).—Rheumatism has forced Mayor William Hale "Big Bill" Thompson to abandon temporarily his duties at the City Hall.

The "Cowboy" Mayor of Chicago, who is seeking the Republican nomination for Mayor at the February primary for the fourth time, was in Mt. Clemens, Mich., today for treatment. One report said he was able to walk only with the aid of a cane.

## MAN KILLED IN FALL

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6.—Frank Morris, seventy-three-year-old hotel employee, died in hospital today from the effects of a fall down stairs. His fall was fractured in the fall. No inquest will be held.

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## REPARATIONS CASES WILL BE HEARD HERE

Commission to Study Claims in Western Canada—At Victoria January 22

OTTAWA, Jan. 6 (CP).—Nearly 500 cases will be examined by the Reparations Commission within the next few months, approximately that figure being the number now filed with that body. The period within which claims might be submitted ended today and on Friday Commissioner Errol M. McDougall and Deputy Commissioner Major H. S. Reith will proceed to Western Canada to commence hearings on the various applications.

The claims have accumulated since publication of the Priel report and embrace the ordinary civilian cases, such as losses due to torpedoing, and also the claims of prisoners of war.

The commission will sit at Winnipeg on January 10, and next day at Regina. On January 12 the hearings will be moved to Calgary. Four days are allotted to Vancouver, January 15, 16, 17 and 18. On January 17 the commission will sit at Victoria. It is hoped to conclude the Western tour at Edmonton on January 22.

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## The Rhyming Optimist

By Allie Michaeils

AN OPENING DOOR  
What change an opening door can bring!  
Twilight to dawn, Fall to Spring.  
All these eclipsed in briefest space;  
An opening door, a well-loved face.  
A knock upon the door . . . who knows  
What flux of life it will disclose.  
When, in an instant, swinging wide,  
It bares some secret now denied?  
What bravery lies in the command,  
"Come in!" that bids an unseen hand—

## Chief Sources of Gold in World Are Described and Annual Production Given

By GEORGE C. BATHMAN  
Secretary of the Ontario Mining Ass'n.

The possibility, and in fact, the probability, of a decrease in the world's output of gold is at the present time a matter of universal concern. That such a decrease may be expected is generally admitted, and figures of the distribution of production would seem to bear this out.

During the past 450 years the production of gold has amounted to approximately \$21,500,000,000, and of this amount \$12,000,000,000 has been produced during the past thirty years. Of the total production, over \$21,000,000,000, roughly \$10,000,000,000 is in the form of gold reserves and monetary stocks, and the balance has been absorbed by industries and arts, has disappeared through hoarding or has been lost.

Among the gold-producing countries of the world the prospect of a decline in South Africa is the most serious, because it is much the most important contributor to the world's supply. Of the total gold production in the past 450 years, 84 per cent has come from the following countries: South Africa, \$4,725,000,000; United States, \$4,520,000,000; Australia, \$3,650,000,000; Russia, \$1,355,000,000; Colombia, \$1,075,000,000; Brazil, \$960,000,000; Mexico, \$645,000,000; Canada, \$645,000,000.

It will be seen from the above, therefore, that during the past century, during which time over 50 per cent of the total recorded output has been won, South Africa has been responsible for roughly \$4,500,000,000, or 38 per cent.

Coming down to the present time we find that in 1929, with a world production valued at \$407,000,000, South Africa was responsible for 53 per cent; United States for 11.5 per cent; Canada 9.6 per cent, a total of 74 per cent of the world's output from these three countries. It will also be seen that while the production of the United States has been declining, Canada has been increasing, but South Africa is so much the most important that it overshadows all others.

**RAND RESERVES ESTIMATED.**  
The estimated reserves of probable ore on the Rand, according to Dr. Perow, South African Government mining engineer, are 320,000,000 tons with a further allowance of 260,000,000 tons of possibly payable ore in undeveloped areas. In addition, Sir Robert Kotze estimates that there are about 440,000,000 tons of an average grade of \$3.50 to

\$4.50, which at the present time is below payable grade.

Surveying the other countries of the world, we find that in the majority of these production has been declining and the discovery of important new deposits becomes less probable every year. In the history of mankind there is no metal which has been coveted to the same extent as gold and there is no metal for which the world has been so thoroughly prospected. It might also be said that there is no metal more easily found, because on account of its physical and chemical qualities gold is almost indestructible, and traces of it in the river sands, gravel and soil, may be followed by the prospector during the whole of his life.

**CANADA BANKS THIRD.**  
Canada is now the third largest gold-producing country, and it is expected that within a year or two it will take second place. In estimating the possibilities as a gold producer we must take into consideration the fact that it is one of the more recently glaciated countries, and that on account of our climate there has not been the same opportunity for erosion, for the breaking down of the veins and for the evidence of gold in the form of float or gold in soil, gravel and river sands upon which the prospector in other countries depends to such an extent for his evidence.

In surveying the possibilities of increased gold production in Canada we must consider them from two points of view, (1) Cost reduction, (2) New discoveries.

Cost reduction naturally falls into three divisions, (a) efficiency of management, (b) metallurgical improvements, (c) metallurgical improvements.

A survey of the mining areas in Northern Ontario would quickly convince anyone that operations are conducted with high degree of efficiency. The problems arising from the treatment of complex ores, from mining at depths greater than one ever conceived in Canada before, with still much greater depths predicted for the future and all those various problems with which management is faced from day to day, are being solved by the application of experience, science and skill. Metallurgical improvements are being made and even once in a while some outstanding development takes place.

**REDUCED COSTS NECESSARY.**  
While Canadian mines and metallurgical plants are operated with a high degree of skill and efficiency, economic considerations demand continual improvements. Gold mines reduce costs in an effort to offset the decrease in grade, which inevitably comes with longer life, and also to offset the cost of working at great depths. Base metal mines must be able to reduce costs in order to meet competition in the world's markets and in this reduction of costs metallurgical plants play an important part. The International Nickel Company, aside from other considerations which might make the building of a new smelter necessary, has been able to reduce its cost of production of nickel to \$10,000,000 on such a plant, because it would result in a reduction of working costs of over 40 cents a ton.

**NOVA SCOTIA AND QUEBEC.**  
Gold mining in Nova Scotia was quite active at one time and gold has a wide distribution in that province, but recent years have shown that gold mining was not particularly profitable. It is, however, quite within the realm of possibilities that the utilization of modern methods and the application of newer processes may result in a revival of the industry and in the opening up of some of the old properties and that production in the future may be greater than in the past.

In Northwestern Quebec, gold production has become an important factor in the economy of the province. The Noranda is now producing at the rate of approximately 300,000 in gold a month and in addition to this there are definite possibilities of a substantial output from purely gold properties. The extent of this field has by no means been determined and there are still considerable areas which are favorable for intensive prospecting.

**ONTARIO.**  
In Ontario we have very large areas of favorable geology and while prospecting results during the past few years have undoubtedly been disappointing, this unfavorable evidence is by no means conclusive. It is possible that prospectors have gone too far afield and have neglected some of the opportunities near at hand, as evidenced by the recent discovery in Malachuk area, a section which has been known for many years. It is too early as yet to say of what importance this may be, but as a prospect it is one of the most interesting found in some time. On the extension of the Porcupine gold belt between Porcupine and Quebec there is still plenty of opportunity for intensive work, particularly as a very considerable portion is heavily drifted over, which makes prospecting very difficult.

The northern areas of Manitoba and Saskatchewan have not yet been really prospected. A certain amount of gold will be obtained as a by-product from the operation of the Hudson Bay and the Sheritt-Gordon, but there is still a great extent of largely unknown country which offers definite possibilities.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA.**  
British Columbia is of growing importance as a gold producer and with the present unfavorable situation with which the base metal mines are faced, more interest is being taken in gold. The most important gold mines of the province are the Pioneer and the Pioneer, which account for the major part of the production. The Pioneer is not only an important producer in itself, but has been very active in prospecting other properties and has recently obtained some promising options. The Pioneer is almost unique in the fact that all the money originally put into the property was \$3,000. It has been built up out of profits to the point where it now has a well developed mine with a modern mill, and in 1931 should be in a position to produce its approximately a quarter million dollars. On the 750-foot level a length of 1,600 feet of ore has been developed, giving an average approximately 320 across 3.5 feet. In addition to the Pioneer, this particular section holds definite possibilities of other mines. British Columbia is a difficult country to prospect and inadequate transportation

is one of the great drawbacks, but as this problem is gradually being solved it may be expected to become a more important contributor to the gold production of Canada.

### FAIR NORTHWARD

In addition to the provinces there is a great extent of largely unknown country embraced in the Northwest Territories. On account of the shortness of the prospecting season, the difficulty of access for the ordinary prospector and the limited amount of intensive work done in this field, it is difficult to estimate its possibilities, but it can be said that it does hold possibilities and that these possibilities will only be known after a longer and more careful search than has yet been carried out.

Most of the mining areas of Canada present many difficulties to the prospector—heavily wooded areas, deep overburden, muskeg and water. We need a combination of the most complete geological information and intensive prospecting and with a combination of these two, even in spite of unfavorable results as a whole during the past few years, there is no need to feel discouraged, and, on the other hand, there is every reason to feel confident that Canada's gold production will continue to increase in the future as it has in the past.

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## Court of Appeal Victoria Sitings

The following reserved judgments were delivered at the opening of the Court of Appeal in Victoria yesterday:

**American Seamless Tube Corporation et al. (A) vs. Goward (R).**—Appellants, who were creditors of the Ahlburg Gasoline Corporation, a California company, sued respondent on the ground that as holder of the shares of the said corporation, respondent was liable, under California law, to pay to them such proportion of their claims as the said corporation was entitled to receive from the assets of the said corporation. The court found that respondent was not liable to pay to them such proportion of their claims as the said corporation was entitled to receive from the assets of the said corporation.

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## Protection From Frost



Gardeners Wrapping Straw Around Plants on the Grounds of Premier Hamaguchi's Official Residence at Tokio to Protect Them From the Frost and Snow of Winter.

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## RATEPAYERS' BODY ELECTS OFFICERS

Saanich Central Organization Returns New Slate of Officials at Annual Meeting

Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association decided to make a new slate at their annual meeting, held at the Tolmie School last night, by electing an entirely new slate of officers. Some of those present stated that the association had been in a state of chaos for the past two or three years, and were of the opinion that the only way to get things moving satisfactorily was to clean house.

In the election of officers which followed William Lynn, former well-known soccer official in this city, was named president; Harry Porter was named vice-president, and Robert Noble, secretary-treasurer.

The last few years, Francis and Williams were named as a committee to revise the constitution and report back at the next meeting. To this number will be added representatives from three other wards in Saanich.

Following the business session, Police Commissioner A. E. Scaife, in a few words, outlined his platform for the coming election and spoke of the present force in the municipality.

## NATIVE SON AND PIONEER IS DEAD

There died in the Jubilee Hospital on Monday afternoon James Henry Dodd, aged sixty-two, a native son of Victoria, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dodd, pioneers of the Gorge district. Mr. Dodd was educated at the old Craigflower School. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Robert Daisiel, of 723 Queen's Avenue; three grandsons; a sister, Mrs. W. Roland, of Victoria; and three brothers, Martin and John Dodd, of Victoria, and William, of Alton.

The remains are reposing at the Sands Funeral Chapel, where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

## Obituary

**GARRATT.**—The funeral of Bryan Corbett Garratt, who passed away on January 2, was held yesterday afternoon at St. Mark's Church, Rev. O. L. Jull officiating. There was a large gathering of friends. Two hymns were sung: "Jesus Lives" and "Forever With the Lord." The pallbearers were all members of the Cathedral, and the following: Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, A. E. del. Nunns and H. W. G. Stocken, and Revs. F. A. Ramsay, J. S. A. Easton and N. E. Smith. Interment was made in St. John's Churchyard, Cobble Hill, where Rev. Canon Stocken, assisted by Rev. W. E. Cookshot, officiated, and the following were the pallbearers: Capt. J. M. Hughes, Captain Weistead, Col.

**STAPLEDON.**—Funeral service will be held at Haywards's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. Margaret Ellen Stapledon, who died at 310 Vancouver Street on Monday afternoon after a lingering illness. Mrs. Stapledon was a native daughter of Victoria, and was the eldest granddaughter of the late John Sinclair, Cadboro Bay pioneer. She was a past chief factor of the Native Daughters of British Columbia. Mrs. Stapledon is survived by her husband, S. J. Stapledon, and one brother, John Peter Merriam, of Victoria.

**LEACROFT.**—Many friends attended the funeral of Rev. F. R. B. Leacroft, for many years an Anglican clergyman in Alberta, which was held on Tuesday afternoon from Christ Church Cathedral. High Rev. Bishop Schofield, assisted by Very Rev. Dean Quinlan and Canon Stocken, conducted the service, during which the hymn, "For All Thy Saints, O Lord" was sung. Many

**LIST OF JUDGMENTS.**  
The following list of judgments handed down yesterday was as follows:  
Re (R) vs. Robertson Bakeries Ltd., dismissed.  
Lube vs. Esquimalt Waterworks, dismissed.  
American Seamless Tube vs. Goward, dismissed.  
Symington vs. Vancouver Breweries, dismissed.  
Morley vs. Sullivan, allowed (McPhillips, J.A. dissenting).  
Re (R) vs. B.C. Electric Railway Co., dismissed.  
Lechtzer vs. Lechtzer, dismissed.  
Planta vs. Greenhills, allowed.  
Jackson vs. Shell Oil Co., dismissed.  
Mainland Committee vs. Tan Yee, quashed (Martin and McPhillips, J.A. dissenting).  
Commercial Securities vs. Johnson, dismissed (Macdonald, C.J.B.C. and Gallihier, J.A. dissenting).  
Re (R) vs. B.C. Electric Railway Co., dismissed.  
Lloyd vs. Hannafin, dismissed.  
Canary vs. Vested Estates, dismissed.  
Luo Moon Koo vs. The King, quashed.  
Cardarelli vs. Cardarelli, dismissed (McPhillips, J.A. dissenting).  
Lowe vs. The City of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia, committee's findings restored and appeal dismissed (McPhillips, J.A. dissenting).  
**PEREMPTORY LIST FOR TODAY.**  
Re (R) vs. Backman & Smith (A), at bar.  
Re (R) vs. Pierce (A).  
Re (R) vs. Zarell et al.

## FIREMEN CONQUER OIL WELL FLAMES

**OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 6 (AP).**—Firemen fought and conquered a potentially serious blaze Monday afternoon in the oil field at Oklahoma City's south doorstep.

Damage was largely confined to destroyed derrick floors of two oil wells and a melted gasoline line that for a time flared wildly.

Other wells on the crowded field, a mile and a quarter from the city's business heart, were in danger for a time and the blaze leaked at a battery of oil tanks.

## Snowstorm in Quebec

**QUEBEC, Jan. 6 (CP).**—After enjoying one of the mildest early Winters in many years, the first real snowstorm of the season broke over this city and district during the night. Today heavy drifts were piled everywhere, and the city, slowing up traffic considerably. Roads leading to the city were practically impassable.

A strong wind accompanied the storm, reaching a velocity of fifty miles an hour early this morning.

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clergymen and ministers of the city and district attended, among whom was Rev. T. M. Hughes, rector of North Saanich, representing the parish of Taber, Alberta, where the late Mr. Leacroft was the rector for many years. The pallbearers at the Cathedral were the following: Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, A. E. del. Nunns and H. W. G. Stocken, and Revs. F. A. Ramsay, J. S. A. Easton and N. E. Smith. Interment was made in St. John's Churchyard, Cobble Hill, where Rev. Canon Stocken, assisted by Rev. W. E. Cookshot, officiated, and the following were the pallbearers: Capt. J. M. Hughes, Captain Weistead, Col.

**KENORA FIRE DEPT AGAIN WINS HONOR**  
KENORA, Jan. 6 (CP).—For the third successive year, Kenora's fire department has been adjudged the best in Ontario for cities and towns of less than 25,000 population. Judges of the National Fire Prevention Association awarded Kenora first place, Gold medal and Surgeon Falls third.

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**FUNERAL NOTICE**  
Members of Vancouver and Quadra Lodges, A.F. & A.M., No. 2, C.R.C., are requested to assemble at the Masonic Temple, Victoria, B.C., on Wednesday, January 7, at 1:30 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother, Robert James Hurd.  
Members of local Lodges and surrounding brethren in good standing are invited to attend.  
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# Varied Activities of Women

## Clubs and Societies

### St. John's Guild

The annual meeting of St. John's Guild and election of officers for 1931 was held in the guildroom of the church on Monday afternoon. Rev. Canon Chadwick read the opening prayers and presided at the meeting which followed. Mrs. J. N. Ford was re-elected president by acclamation, the other officers being as follows: First vice-president, Mrs. W. A. Patterson; second vice-president, Miss Hall; secretary, Mrs. C. Tice (re-elected); treasurer, Mrs. L. Batchelor (re-elected); committee, Mrs. J. Townley, Mrs. F. C. Swannell, Miss H. Duke, Mrs. D. Fulton and Mrs. Leslie Melville. The members decided to make the building up of the parish hall fund their objective for the year. It was decided to hold a Valentine tea the second week in February, the date to be set later. The guild agreed to cater for the A.Y.P.A. banquet to be held in the schoolroom on January 12. At the close of the meeting tea was served by Mrs. Patterson.

### Gonzales Chapter

The monthly meeting of Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held yesterday. Nominations for officers for the ensuing year were made. The members unanimously agreed to join with other chapters in contributing towards a presentation to Her Majesty.

cellency Lady Willington. By invitation of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper, 1349 Grant Street, members and their friends are cordially invited.

### Daughters of St. George

The regular meeting of Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, was held at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow on Monday evening. Worthy President Sister Skelland in the chair. Sisters Savory, Appleton, Quinn and Herritt were appointed as delegates for the Local Council of Women. Sister Quinn was nominated vice-president. Sister Porter, 3480 Cedar Hill Road, offered her home for a whist drive for the good of the order on Friday evening for all members and friends.

### W.B.A. Meeting

The Women's Benefit Association held its regular business meeting on Monday evening in the K. of O. Hall. Mrs. McQueen Todd presiding. Good wishes for the new year were received from the supreme officers and out-of-town members. On January 19, Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, of Vancouver, will install the officers for this year, and the Pioneer Club will present a programme. All members are kindly asked to be present.

### Typographical W.A.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary, No. 65, to the Victoria Typographical Union, a progressive five hundred party will be held on Saturday evening, January 10, at 8:15 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper, 1349 Grant Street. Members and their friends are cordially invited.

### Knox Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church will meet tomorrow in the classroom at 3 o'clock, to discuss plans for the coming year.

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### Boy Scouts W.A.

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Victoria Boy Scouts Association will be held in district headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow. Election of officers for the ensuing year and a review of last year's activities will be on the agenda.

### Typographical W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Victoria Typographical Union will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. in the New Thought Hall. A full attendance is requested as the election of officers is to take place.

### Frances Willard W.C.T.U.

The monthly meeting of the Frances Willard Branch of the W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Humphries, 2974 Quadra Street, tomorrow at 3 p.m. A full attendance is requested.

### Jubilee Hospital W.A.

The sewing meetings of the Jubilee Hospital W.A. will resume work today at the Nurses' Ward, 2 o'clock, when a good attendance is expected.

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## Artists Copy Old Masters



Students and Noted Artists Spend Their Spare Time Reproducing Paintings by Old Masters in the Galleries and Museums at Berlin. This Artist is Copying a Painting by Tizianov Vecellio.

## Some Simple Dishes for Tired-Out Digestions

Every one in a while our generally faithful servant, the digestive system, goes on strike. This strike is usually incited by outside and undue influences, as left to itself with its usual job to do, it works tirelessly and unobtrusively. To get the best from this machine of ours we should feed it various kinds of food so that each its intricate parts may be used to advantage, but not asked to do more than its share. A good varied diet is the proper choice for this purpose. To illustrate the process of digestion we will cook certain foods, we will cut them into small portions and we will divide all of them into very small particles by chewing them well.

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## NOTED AUTHOR DIES IN JAPAN

Mrs. Adams-Beck, Distinguished Writer and Lecturer, Known Here

### HAD VERSATILE GENIUS

A former well-known Victoria resident and internationally-known writer passed away in Kyoto, Japan, on January 2, with the death of Mrs. L. Adams-Beck. The news of her death, received here yesterday by her nephew, Hew Patterson, has been received with a sense of personal loss by the wide circle of her friends and admirers. Letters received recently had given no intimation whatever of failing health, and the information that she had passed comes, therefore, as a great shock to even her greatest intimates.

No resident of Victoria has ever occupied such a distinguished place in letters as Mrs. Adams-Beck, who, under her own name and her pen name of E. Harrington, produced an enormous output of books, essays, articles and short stories. She was particularly successful in a field of occult and mystical literature which became peculiarly identified with her name, and it was because of her genius in this class of work that she decided to revisit the Orient to search for new material. Four years ago she left for Ceylon, accompanied by her secretary, and while she was continuously writing, she was also continuously studying, particularly the Buddhist teachings, and was engaged in work of this kind and the translation of ancient Japanese literature at the time of her death in Kyoto.

Born in England, she was the daughter of the late Admiral John Moresby and a granddaughter of Sir Fairfax Moresby, G.C.B., late Admiral of the Fleet, from whom Moresby Island derived its name through an early voyage which he made to this part of the world.

She went to India as a young woman, and became attracted by the mystical philosophy of that ancient country. There and in China and Japan and Ceylon she amassed the material and the ideas which she wove into her widely-sold books. Among those which incorporate the occult are "The Ninth Vibration," "The Treasure of the Rainbow," "The Perfume of the Rainbow" and "The Lotus of the East."

In 1920, with her husband, she visited Victoria on her way back from Asia to England. Here she remained for several years, ultimately building a home on Runnymede Avenue. An indefatigable and productive worker, she continued to produce books and articles all the time that she was here, at the same time preparing numerous lectures which she gave for increasingly large audiences meeting privately at her own home or at the homes of friends. She had a versatile knowledge of people, affairs and things as well as a profound knowledge of the occult, and a great knowledge of history. Her gifts in the last respect were converted to the purposes of literature, her selection of some of the romantic figures of history resulting in the production of "The Divine Lady" (being the story of Lady Hattieson), "The Glorious Apollo" (the story of Byron), "The Exquisite Perfidy," "The Chaste Diana" and "The Loves of Two Queens."

Besides her husband, living in England, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Patrick Mullane, in Victoria, and one nephew, Hew Patterson, also living here.

Canada has fine voices. But opera needs support. Says Countess de Turczynowicz in address here.

SPEAKS OF "BOCCACCIO"

"In Canada there is no lack of fine voices. What Canada does suffer from, in so far as producing opera is concerned, is inhibition, imposed by convention; people are afraid to express themselves, to make big gestures, to get deep down into their vocal instrument and sing as they mean it."

This was one of the comments made by Countess Laura de Turczynowicz, in the course of her talk yesterday afternoon before the Women's Canadian Club. Speaking on "The Operatic Situation in Canada," as a Canadian woman who had lived abroad many years, she thought Canada might do something to restore opera to its rightful place in the musical world in this country at least, and give back to the people the "real thing," which no amount of detached fragments of opera heard over the radio between irrelevances of vacuum cleaner, soap and cigarette advertisements could replace.

"The world is getting away from opera. There is no use denying it. And, unless we do something, we shall lose opera forever," she said, in urging the cause of such amateur productions as the "Boccaccio," which is now under preparation by the Victoria Operatic Society. It was impossible to make radio hearings of opera a substitute for the real thing. Even a strong imagination and considerable knowledge of the opera would not reproduce the theatre reproductions, as the radio singers, in any event, were merely standing motionless before the microphone and could not therefore be singing with quite the same expression.

"BOCCACCIO" IN NEW YORK

Referring to the forthcoming production by the Victoria Operatic Society of Yon Sopper's "Boccaccio," the speaker gave an excellent idea of the difficulties which such a production entailed, the fact that those taking part were all amateurs making it the more creditable that they spared the time to attend rehearsals. Contrary to some previous experiences in the same field of work, she had found little jealousy among the principals. The opera had no relation to the "Decameron," beyond the fact that it bore the name of the author of this famous work.

One reason why it had been chosen for production by the Victoria Operatic Society was that it was an opera of many individual parts; even the members of the chorus acted as individuals and not as in most operas, ensembles. Moreover, contrary to popular misconception, it was thoroughly innocent and amusing in character.

"Victoria is very blessed in that she has a speaker with a sharp tongue. There is no place where music should have a better chance, for your choral societies are splendidly developed. But don't you think you need the voice and acting together?" the speaker queried in her plea for support of the move to restore opera through amateur channels.

NO SHORT ROAD

In conclusion, Countess de Turczynowicz reminded her audience that there was no short road to a career in opera. No one had ever really attained a place in the world of song without at least six years' hard study, and one of the greatest problems in this country was to get students to realize that they were not far enough advanced to sing in opera.

Mrs. P. B. Scurrah presided, and presented the speaker with a sheaf of flowers at the close of her address. Mrs. D. B. McConnon moved the vote of thanks to the speaker. The soloist, Mrs. Harold Campbell, delighted her audience with two numbers, "To a Hilltop," by Ralph Cox, and "The False Prophet," by J. Friddle Scott.

The president reminded the members of the opportunity which they were given, as individuals, to contribute to the fund which is being made by the women of Canada for a presentation to Lady Willington.

C. A. LEVINE AGAIN IN LEGAL BATTLE; ARREST IS ORDERED

NEW YORK, Jan. 6 (AP).—Charles A. Levine, transatlantic aviation enthusiast, was ordered arrested today by Assistant District Attorney Garrison because of alleged failure to report to Garrison's office and explain possession of mysteriously missing securities.

A subpoena was issued last month asking Levine to tell how he came to have \$21,900 worth of American Telephone & Telegraph stock. The Fidelity Deposit Company of Maryland, an insurance concern here, said the stock vanished en route by messenger from one downtown house to another.

According to the summons, Levine neglected the stock at the Manufacturers' Trust Company as collateral for a loan last May. Levine's attorney said he would explain possession of the stock satisfactorily.

Admiral Sir Charles

Royds Dies at London

LONDON, Jan. 6 (AP).—Admiral Sir Charles Royds, deputy commissioner of the London Metropolitan Police, died Monday on the way to a hospital. He had been taken suddenly ill today in a hotel.

Sir Charles had a distinguished career in the navy before his appointment to the police force and was a member of the first fleet expedition to the Antarctic in 1901.

Cape Royds, where Sir Charles Shackleton established his base in the Antarctic, was named after him.

The most Forward Looker of the Month was the man who wouldn't take a chance on an auto traffic before he had no garage.

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PREHISTORIC RELICS FOUND IN TAR SANDS

Wood Found in Northern Alberta Said to Be Fifty Million Years Old

EDMONTON, Jan. 6.—Wood believed to be 50,000,000 years old and to reveal an age of mighty tropical trees and plants, is under study here by a University of Alberta professor.

First samples of the prehistoric material, found in the Fort McMurray tar sands area, 300 miles north of Edmonton, were shipped to this city in May, 1930, by Dr. K. A. Clark, research professor at the Provincial University here. Since then they have been closely studied by Professor Francis John Lewis, D.S.C., F.R.S.E., head of the botanical department.

OTHER FINDS EXPECTED

Well-preserved bodies of dinosaurs, mammoth remains that swarmed the earth millions of years ago, may even be found when further excavations are carried on in the McMurray region, in Professor Lewis' opinion. At the present time, skeletons of these prehistoric monsters have been brought to light.

The present pit at McMurray, which has yielded the extraordinary wood specimens, is only some sixty feet square, he adds. With eighty-nine cubic miles of tar sands estimated to exist in that region, what further excavations will reveal can only be guessed at.

Soviet Russia's population has been estimated at 150,000,000.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

See your family physician and have him give you a thorough examination.

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Opportunities of Young Men to Be Lecture Subject

Of special interest to the young men of this city, and especially to those of the Anglican Church, is a lecture to be given at the guild room of the Memorial Hall, at 8 o'clock on January 9, by the Minister of Education, Hon. John Hinchcliffe, his subject being "The Vocations and Opportunities of the Young Men of British Columbia." Questions will be gladly welcomed by the lecturer, Rev. O. L. Jull, who will act as chairman.

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# Social and Personal

## Personals, Parties Visitors

### Reception at Empress

A delightful reception was held at the Empress Hotel yesterday in honor of Hon. Parker J. Moloney and Mrs. Moloney, who are on a tour of the province. The guests included Mrs. W. A. Jameson, wife of the president of the Victoria and Island Branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, received the visitors, and His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Anscomb were among the official hosts of the afternoon. The tea table, charmingly decorated with pink cyclamen, was arranged in the ladies' drawing-room of the hotel, and Mrs. S. F. Toimie and Mrs. R. H. Pooley poured tea and coffee. Others present included Mr. and Mrs. McDonald (New Westminster), Mr. Hugh Dalton, Mrs. B. L. Howe, Mrs. J. W. Wilson, Mrs. H. J. Pendry, W. A. Luney, Mrs. H. J. Pendry, Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Mrs. Harry Beach, Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mrs. W. G. Wilson and Mrs. Alfred Carmichael of the Women's Canadian Club, and Captain Goodlake.

### Tea at Empress

The president and executive of the Women's Canadian Club entertained the Countess Laura de Turcoman at tea in the lounge yesterday afternoon following her address at the Empress ballroom, and other guests included Miss Wanda de Turcoman, Mrs. H. D. Brumpton, Mrs. Martin (Nanaimo), Miss Bowron, Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Mrs. H. B. Darnell, Miss Agnew, Mrs. Peter MacNaughton, Mrs. F. Calvert, Mrs. J. Logan, Mrs. E. S. Parr, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. E. M. Brown, Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. W. Ellis, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. A. D. Dowell, Mrs. E. H. Mitchell and Mrs. A. Carmichael, Mrs. McConnan and Mrs. Johns poured tea.

### Leaving for Toronto

Mr. P. B. Fowler, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, will leave for Toronto tomorrow in order to be present at the annual meeting of the bank, which is to be held on January 13. The meeting this year has special significance, and in fact, as it is being held in the new building erected in Toronto as the head office of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, this building has recently been completed and its height exceeds that of any other building in the British Empire. Mr. Fowler will return over the Crow's Nest line in order to see old friends in the Kootenays and to visit his daughter, Mrs. N. O. Randall, at Trail. He expects to return to Victoria about January 27.

### Arrives Here

Mrs. J. W. Jones, wife of Hon. J. W. Jones, Finance Minister, has arrived in Victoria. Mrs. Jones is a guest at the Windermere Hotel, but on completion of her suite in the new wing of "The Willingdon," Mr. and Mrs. Jones will reside there.

### Entertainers at Tea

Miss Maile Swan entertained a number of her friends at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at her home on Moss Street. The tea table, centred with a bowl of mauve roses, was a beautiful sight. The guests included Mrs. W. A. Jameson, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Mrs. H. J. Pendry, Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Mrs. Harry Beach, Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mrs. W. Ellis, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. A. D. Dowell, Mrs. E. H. Mitchell and Mrs. A. Carmichael, Mrs. McConnan and Mrs. Johns poured tea.

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## Naval Wedding Principals



THE marriage of Lieut. Ernest Patrick Tisdall, R.C.N., to Miss Eva McIntosh, second daughter of His Honor Judge McIntosh and Mrs. McIntosh, of Mill Bay, took place quietly at St. Paul's Garrison Church, Esquimalt, on Saturday. In the picture above, the bride party is seen leaving the church, Miss Helen McIntosh as bridesmaid and Engineer Lieutenant Davy as best man.

## TODAY'S RECIPE

**ALMOND Fingers**—Mix together two tablespoons of butter, two tablespoons of sugar, one cup of flour and the yolks of two eggs. Add two teaspoons of baking powder and roll out fairly thin. Beat the whites of two eggs until very stiff and add five tablespoons of icing sugar. Spread on the biscuit dough in a tin and sprinkle with chopped blanched almonds. Bake until a golden brown.—Prudence.

## Business Women

**Discuss Reports**  
At a meeting of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club held on Monday evening, it was decided that the former names, "Kumtuka," be retained as the club's motto, to the word of Indian origin, meaning, "to know; to understand."

**Young People's Social**  
Approximately eighty young people attended the social held by the Y.P.S. of First United Church on Monday evening. After a brief singing, which was led by Mrs. Dick Holmes, the group enjoyed games under the direction of Messrs. Gordon Robson and George Gordon and Miss Olive Heritage. During the evening the Y.P.S. newspaper was edited and read to the gathering. An enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the serving of refreshments by the social committee.

**University Women**  
The Christmas Festival programme, which was recently presented by the First United Church Y.P.S., will be repeated at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday evening.

**Firemen to Hold**  
Ball February 13  
The officers and members of the City Fire Department will hold their annual ball on Friday, February 13, at the Empress Hotel. Plans are now well under way for this season's event. The committee in charge of arrangements is headed by Lieutenant J. O. Crowther, chairman, and Mr. H. E. Hunt, secretary.

**Gov't Investigates**  
RELIEF MATTERS IN CITY OF VANCOUVER  
VANCOUVER, Jan. 6 (CP).—The Dominion Government is investigating unemployment conditions here as a result of the City Council's resolution of December 31, calling upon the Federal authorities to take suitable action to deal with the problem, because "Vancouver is unable to cope with it."

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## CONFERENCE ON UNIVERSITY ENDS

Statement of Governors Will Be Laid Before Cabinet Shortly

## SETTLEMENT INDICATED

While no statement was offered in Government circles yesterday as to the outcome of the conference between the Board of Governors of the University of British Columbia and Hon. John A. Macdonald, Minister of Education, and Hon. J. W. Jones, Minister of Finance, no secret was made of the fact that the discussion was most of the time devoted to clearing the air, and made way for a settlement of outstanding questions in relation to the financing of the institution.

The board of governors filed a detailed statement, setting out their views in regard to the conduct of the university, and expressing their desire to co-operate with the Government in every way possible for the benefit of the institution. This statement will be laid by the Minister of Education before the Cabinet shortly.

Meanwhile, Mr. Macdonald stated, he had no comment to make, other than that he was pleased with the results of the meeting.

**Wine for Beer**  
PARLORS URGED  
Ladysmith Board Suggests Using Stumps to Support Loganberry Vines

TO FOSTER INDUSTRY  
A deputation from the Saanich Board of Trade will wait upon the Premier to discuss the possibilities of serving local wines in beer parlors and hotels. This decision was made following a motion of W. O. Wallace at a meeting of the board.

Mr. Wallace put his motion in the form of an amendment to a motion of Captain Babin that local wine should be sold in beer parlors and that the local government should be requested to allow local wine to be purchased on a \$1 liquor permit.

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The Old Wolves' Council will meet on Wednesday, January 14, at 8 o'clock, at district headquarters.

## Ontario Storm Creates Havoc With Traffic

TORONTO, Jan. 6 (CP).—Just when Ontario citizens were congratulating themselves on prospects of continued fine weather, a storm of rain, hail and sleet struck the province last night, creating havoc with traffic and communication systems. Cochrane, Humberburg and other Northern centres reported heavy snowfalls and zero temperatures. Throughout Western Ontario heavy rain and sleet fell, but the weather remained mild.

## PERSIAN EXHIBIT IS VALUED AT MILLIONS

LONDON, Jan. 6 (AP).—Art from Persia, forbidden to Christians was seen by the Western World for the first time this afternoon when the International Exhibition of Persian Art opened in the Royal Academy here.

The King is a patron, and he and the Queen will view the exhibition privately later this month.

Valued at more than \$30,000,000, the exhibits are said to form the greatest collection of Persian art ever assembled. It comes from thirty-one nations.

Exhibits range from priceless carpets to a dainty bit of carved pumice, used by some far-distant nations favorite to whiten her fingers.

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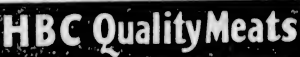
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# Half-a-Day Half-a-Dollar Bargains



Half-Day Half-Dollar Specials

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| 2 Tins Quaker Peas, No. 2 tin, size 4, 1 tin Quaker Corn, and 1 large tin Quaker Tomatoes. All for.....               | 50c |
| 1 lb. Sliced Ayrshire Roll and 1/2 lb. packet Chateau Cheese for.....                                                 | 50c |
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| 1 2 1/2 lb. tin Bickies Honey and 1 dozen Lemons for.....                                                             | 50c |
| 6 Packets Ivory Soap for.....                                                                                         | 50c |
| 1 dozen Local Fresh Firsts Eggs and 1/2 lb. Sliced Boneless Ham for.....                                              | 50c |
| 1 lb. H B C Imperial Coffee and 1 large packet Ormond's Cream Crackers for.....                                       | 50c |
| 1/2 dozen Large Jamaica Oranges and 4 Jamaica Grapefruit for.....                                                     | 50c |
| 2 packets Sun-Maid Brand Puffed Raisins, 2 lbs. Moist Sifted Dates and 1/2 lb. White Meat Walnut Pieces. All for..... | 50c |
| 1 Large Bottle Heinz Catsup, 2 small tins Heinz Baked Beans and 1 tin Heinz Spaghetti with Cheese. All for.....       | 50c |
| 1 lb. Finest Quality New Zealand Butter and 1/2 lb. Mild Cheese for.....                                              | 50c |
| 3 lbs. No. 1 Jap Rice, 3 lbs. Small White Beans and 2 lbs. Split Peas. All for.....                                   | 50c |
| Assorted Jelly Beans. Special at 2 1/2 lbs. for.....                                                                  | 50c |



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|-------------------------------------|-----|
| 4 lbs. Plate or Brisket.....        | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Pot Roast.....               | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Blade Bone Roast.....        | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Shoulder of Pork.....        | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Sugar Cured Corned Beef..... | 50c |
| 4 lbs. Pickled Pork Hocks.....      | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Stewing Beef.....            | 50c |
| 4 lbs. Beef Sausages.....           | 50c |
| 4 lbs. Breast of Mutton.....        | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Breast of Lamb.....          | 50c |
| 3 lbs. Rolled Beef.....             | 50c |

## Half-Dollar Specials in the Hardware Department

- 1-lb. Tins Floor Wax. Special at..... 50c
- Cord Sets for electric appliances—cables covered with two-piece plug for heaters, irons, etc. Special..... 50c
- Glass Rolling Pins. Regular \$1.00 value. Special..... 50c
- Enamel Coffee Pots. Individual size in Nile green enamel. Special..... 50c
- Aluminum Saucepans, 3 1/2-pint size straight-line saucepans. Special, each..... 50c
- Bread Knives of stainless steel with serrated edge. Special..... 50c

## 100 Children's Swiss Ribbed Wool Vests

This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Fine All-Wool Swiss Ribbed Vests with short sleeves and headed neck. In sizes for 2 to 12 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## 200 Women's Rayon Vests and Bloomers

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A special purchase for half-day shoppers. Fine quality rayon Vests with opera top and motif trimming; also Bloomers to match. In pastel shades and small, medium and large sizes. Each garment priced at half a dollar.

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A toy and a compendium of information at the same time. It contains the chief data of the 34 states in Europe. A mine of information for every school, office or home.

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## 150 Women's Cream Cotton Vests

This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Flat Knit Cream Cotton Vests with built-up straps. In small, medium and large sizes.

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## 200 Women's Winter-Weight Bloomers

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Flat Knit Cotton Winter-Weight Bloomers with gusset. In navy, peach, orchid and white. Small, medium and large sizes.

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Regular \$1.00 Clearing at..... 50c

Excellent Flat Knit Rayon Silk and Lisle Vests with built-up strap. In pink, peach, orchid, small, medium and large sizes.

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## Narrow Girdles This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Made of rayon stripe material with elastic side sections, graduated long back and four hose supports. Sizes 25 to 29.

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## Students' 200-Page Exercise Books 3 for 50c

Strongly bound with black covers; 200 pages of high quality paper, ruled and margined.

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## Braemar Writing Pads 3 for 50c

A high-grade suede-finish Writing Pad with blotter and line guide.

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## Boys' Warm Star Gauntlet Gloves Regular 75c a Pair Clearing at..... 50c

A soft pliable pigskin that will give long wear. These gloves have warm fleece lining and star and fringed cuffs. Ideal Winter gloves in sizes for boys from 6 to 15 years old.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Men's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs 6 for 50c

Fine soft-finish lawn with hem-stitched borders in a full 18 x 17 1/2-inch size.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Men's Smart Neckwear This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

New colorings in neckwear you will be sure to like. These ties are made right in every way.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Boys' Sweater Coats This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Dark heather shade in heavy wool rib. This Coat has the shawl collar and two pockets and is a hard-wearing warm coat for boys from 8 to 12 years.

—Main Floor, HBC

## 60 Pairs Hanson's Heavy Wool Socks Regular 85c a Pair Clearing at..... 50c

All-wool grey and white mixture in a full 5-lb. weight. Hanson's Socks are known for wear and comfort from coast to coast.

—Main Floor, HBC



## Silks and Velvets Drapery Fabrics

In a wide range of wanted weaves and useful lengths for dresses, blouses and many other purposes. All cleared this morning at half regular prices.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Fancy Linens at Half Price

Including Hand-Embroidered Applique Madeira and Plauen Lace in Doilies, Centres, Scarves, Lunch Cloths, Napkins and Towels.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Oddments in Children's Wear This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

A whole tableful of Oddments in Children's wear to clear at this ridiculously low price. The assortment includes fugi bloomers, slips, jackets, bonnets, rain hats, cotton gowns, cotton Jean middies, dresses, children's overalls, girls' wool vests, etc.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Women's Hose Values to 75c Pair This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Women's Cashmere and Thread Silk Hose. Broken lines all cleared to clear at half a dollar per pair. Choose from flesh, nude, lawn, grey and putty.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Women's Ties Regular to \$1.75 Clearing at..... 50c

Smart Tailored Derby and Windsor Ties in printed floral stripe effects; good quality crepe de Chine and Macclesfield Silks in harmonizing bright shades; also plain shades in Windsor Ties in mauve, red, beige, mauve and white, peach, sage, royal, brown and Burgundy.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Chamoisette Gloves This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Fabric Gloves with silk embroidered points and two dome fasteners. Made of excellent quality chamoisette and washable. Choose from Riviera, gazelle, grey and black. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings This Morning Per Yard Clearing at..... 50c

Sheets hemmed free of charge. Sturdy Sheetings that will give splendid wear. Bleached in width 70 inches; unbleached in widths 70 and 80 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Unbleached Cottons 3 Yards for 50c

A fine textured cotton, suitable for many purposes. Width 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Large Washable Rugs This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

These Useful Rag Rugs measure 30 by 60 inches. They will add brightness to your kitchen, bathroom or bedroom. Half a dollar is a very special price for one of these rugs.

—Third Floor, HBC

## Men's Imported Wool Gloves Regular 75c Clearing at..... 50c

Warm All-Wool British-Made Gloves in grey and heather shades. Good gloves for wear and comfort. All sizes.

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## Children's Hats and Tams This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

A Few Rolled Brim Felt and Assorted Tams in attractive colors for children.

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## Leather Goods Jewelry and Oddments This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

A table of oddments—a good assortment of leather goods and jewelry—also French ivory, art trays, bags, etc. The jewelry includes silver bangles, bracelets, earrings, brooches, colored bead necklaces, pearl chokers, and in leather there are keychains and coin purses.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Women's Handkerchiefs 3 for 50c

Assortments of dainty fine lawn Handkerchiefs in colors or white with colored embroidery. Some of these have scalloped edges; others are finished with a neat 1/4-inch hem; also there are included crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, hand-painted or with lace edge. Regular 25c each.

—Main Floor, HBC

## White and Colored Broadcloths 2 1/2 Yards for 50c

Weight for slips, lingerie, dresses, blouses and other uses. Choice of colored and white. Width, 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Lingerie Dimities and Printed Crepes 2 Yards for 50c

Dimities in 36 inches wide and in colors of pink, Nile, rose, peach and white. The printed crepes are 31 inches wide, in many colorful patterns.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Linen Crash Table Napkins 4 for 50c

Ideal for general use. With colored bordered effects.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Size 42 x 33 inches. Hand finished with hemstitched ends.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Large White Turkish Bath Towels This Morning Clearing at..... 50c

Made with a closely woven pile and finished with hemmed ends. Approximate size 24 x 49 inches.

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## Floor Oilcloth This Morning Per Square Yard..... 50c

Painted-Back Oilcloth for kitchen, bedroom, bathroom or living-room. Very serviceable and good designs.

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## White and Colored Winceyette 2 1/2 Yards for 50c

Hard wearing fabrics for nightgowns and pyjamas. In white and in colors of pink, peach, mauve and blue. Width, 36 inches.

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## Beauty Parlor Specials

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|-------------------|-----|
| Shampoo.....      | 50c |
| Hair Cut.....     | 50c |
| Browarch.....     | 50c |
| Water Wave.....   | 50c |
| Finger Wave.....  | 50c |
| Manicure.....     | 50c |
| Hand Massage..... | 50c |

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## 50c Bargains in Drug Sundries

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| 1-lb. Roll Hospital Cotton for.....                   | 50c |
| Bath Powder. Regular 90c for.....                     | 50c |
| Compacts. Regular 75c.....                            | 50c |
| Castile Soap. Regular 10c, 8 for.....                 | 50c |
| Giant Toilet Tissue. Regular 10c, 7 for.....          | 50c |
| Ayerat Cod Liver Oil.....                             | 50c |
| English Tooth Brushes. Regular 75c.....               | 50c |
| Andrew's Liver Salt. Regular 60c.....                 | 50c |
| Cold Cream. Regular 50c.....                          | 50c |
| Pond's Tissues. Regular 25c.....                      | 50c |
| 75c value for.....                                    | 50c |
| Face Powder. Regular 75c and \$1.00. To clear at..... | 50c |

# SCHMELING STRIPPED OF HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE

## Canadiens Handed First Setback on Home Ice This Season by Falcons

### Detroit Troupes Flying Frenchmen By 6 to 2 Score

Defeat Puts Stanley Cup Holders in Third Place in Canadian Section Race—Bruins Widen Lead by Trimming Hawks, 5-2—Leafs and Senators Draw, Two-All

### Rangers Show Form in Beating Maroons

MONTREAL, Jan. 6 (AP).—The Detroit Falcons gave the world's hockey champions, the Canadiens, their first defeat on their home ice of the current National Hockey League season tonight, rushing through the Frenchmen's defence for a 6 to 2 triumph. It was the second time Detroit had beaten the Canadiens this year and dropped the losers to third place in the Canadian division standing.

The line-ups: Canadiens—Hainsworth; S. Mantha, Burke; Morens, Gagnon, Joliat. Sub: Mondou, Wastie, Leduc, Lapine. Detroit—Leduc, McCaffrey, G. Mantha, Rivers, Fiske. Detroit—Dolson; Rockburn, Noble; Goodfellow, Aurie, Lewis. Sub: Evans, McInelly, Filmore, Cooper, McCabe, Hicks, Fredrickson, Hay. Referee—Hewitson and Wagner.

First period—1, Canadiens, Joliat (S. Mantha), 4:25; 2, Detroit, Lewis (Goodfellow), 5:30. Penalties: S. Mantha, Leduc, McInelly. Second period—3, Detroit, Hay, 10:10; 4, Detroit, Cooper (Hay), 1:20; 5, Canadiens, G. Mantha (S. Mantha), 6:15. Penalties: Noble, Lewis (2), Burke (2), Wastie, Evans, McCabe, Gagnon.

Third period—6, Detroit, McCabe (Hay), 7:00; 7, Detroit, McCabe (Cooper), 8:00; 8, Detroit, Aurie (Goodfellow-Lewis), 10:30. Penalties: Rockburn, Leduc, Goodfellow, Burke (2), Noble (2), McInelly.

RANGERS SHOW FORM NEW YORK, Jan. 6 (AP).—The New York Rangers gave one of their best exhibitions of the National Hockey League season tonight as they trounced Montreal Maroons, leaders of the Canadian division, 5 to 1. The Rangers gained a tie with Chicago for second place in the American section, while Montreal, although defeated, held first place in its division.

The line-ups: Rangers—Roach; Jerwa, Johnson; F. Boucher, W. Cook, F. Cook, Sub: Regan, Peters, Thompson, Murdoch, Keating, Carrigan, Dillon. Montreal—Kerr, McViear, Gallagher, Phillips, Ward, Trotter, Sub: Stewart, Siebert, Smith, Wilcox, G. Boucher, E. Roche. Referee—Bert Corbeau.

First period—1, Rangers, Keating (Jerwa), 7:00. Penalties: Trotter, Regan, Johnson, F. Cook. Second period—2, Rangers, F. Cook (F. Boucher), 6:54; 3, Montreal, Stewart (Siebert), 10:40. Penalties: Thompson (Dillon), 6:18. Penalties: W. Cook, Siebert. Third period—5, Rangers, W. Cook (F. Cook), 8:34; 6, Rangers, W. Cook (F. Cook-F. Boucher), 10: Penalties: F. Cook, Siebert (major), E. Roche, Jerwa, Smith, Johnson, W. Cook.

BRUINS WIDEN LEAD BOSTON, Jan. 6 (AP).—The Boston Bruins, driving hard for the 1931 Stanley Cup honors, lengthened their lead in the National Hockey League race tonight by overwhelming the Chicago Black Hawks, 5 to 2. The victory placed the Bruins in front by three full games, and pushed the Hawks down into third place in the American division.

The line-ups: Bruins—Thompson; Shore, Hitchman; Welland, Clapper, Gairner, Sub: Barry, Beattie, Oliver, Owen, Chapman, Harris, Gairner, Pratt. Chicago—Gardiner; Wentworth, Abel; Desjardins, Ingram, Arbour, Sub: Couture, Adams, Cook, Miller, Gotsis, Graham, Boston, Duktowski, Ripley, March. Officials—Ion and Shaver.

First period—1, Boston, Owen (Barry), 14:10; 2, Boston, Barry (Beattie), 14:31; 3, Boston, Shore, 18:31. Penalties: Duktowski (2), Ingram, Graham, Boston, Miller, Gotsis, Ripley, March. Second period—4, Chicago, March, 14:21. Penalties: Clapper (major), Pratt, Gotsis, Graham. Third period—5, Boston, Welland (Owen), 5:42; 6, Chicago, Gotsis (Adams), 10:04; 7, Boston, Beattie (Barry), 18:58. Penalties: Ingram (2), Hitchman, Couture, Shore, Chapman.

BATTLE TO DRAW OTTAWA, Jan. 6 (CP).—Seventy minutes of grueling hockey failed to bring a decision when Toronto Maple Leafs and Ottawa Senators met in a National League slug tonight. The old rivals fought each other with every trick in their bag from bell to bell, but the best they could do was two goals apiece and they divided the points. Toronto using their edge to get into possession of second place in the Canadian section standing, as Montreal Canadiens faltered before the brilliance of the Detroit Falcons.

The Toronto puckmen had an edge on the Ottawans in the matter of speed, but the sheer doggedness of the home team made up for the discrepancy. The line-ups: Toronto—Chabot; De. Clancy; Blair, Bailey, Connor, Sub: Horn, Duncan, Conacher, Primeau, Jackson, Jenkins. Ottawa—Connell; Alex. Smith, Art. Smith; Lamb, Finnigan, Kilrea, Sub: Starr, Gagne, Cox, Touhey, Bourque. Referee—O. Cleghorn and E. Daigneault.

### BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By Ripley



A CONCRETE BRIDGE BURNED DOWN—completely. Navasolo River, Highway 14, Limestone County, Texas (EXPLANATION TOMORROW)



ELEANOR D. RAMEL, of Dallas, Texas, SPELLED HIS NAME BOTH FORWARD AND BACKWARD

ABRAHAM LEVY SECURED ACQUITTAL FOR MURDER COMMITTED IN COURTROOM—Mr. Levy's client was Edward Divina, who, on June 27, 1922, shot and killed Max Clegg in the open courtroom during a session of the Court of General Sessions of New York City. Levy, an outcast committed upon his sister. The murder was committed in full view of all the court officers, witnesses and the jury. Divina was placed on trial for murder in the first degree before Recorder Smyth, and a jury, on October 19, 1922. After deliberating for an hour and twenty minutes the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty," and Divina was discharged by the court. See The New York Times of October 20, 1922, page 4, column 4.

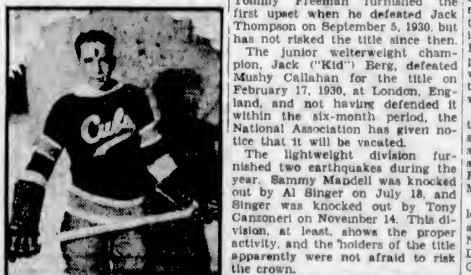
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## Boxing Head Declares 1930 Prosperous Year

N.B.A. President Says Ring Sports Enjoyed a Satisfactory Season Despite Conditions—Upstarts Featured Lightweight Division

By MAJ.-GEN. JOHN V. CLIMIN, President, National Boxing Association. CHICAGO, Jan. 6 (AP).—Nineteen hundred thirty was an exceptionally prosperous year for boxing and wrestling, despite the industrial and agricultural depression. Gate receipts measured up to those of 1929 in almost all the states where boxing and wrestling are legalized. It was a year of upsets for champions. The Sharkey-Schmeling contest in June was most unsatisfactory, owing to the passing of the title on a foul six seconds after the start. The fight was a disappointment to the fans, and the failure to defend the title within the time limit fixed by the rules of the National Boxing Association, all of which has caused this organization to vote on the proposition of vacating the title. The International Boxing Union of Europe has an eight-month rule by which the title is automatically vacated if the champion fails to defend within that period of time. In the light-heavyweight class, Maxie Rosenbloom, won his title from Jimmy Slattery on June 26 and successfully defended it against Able Bain October 22. His performance in some of his contests has not been satisfactory, but the close of the year found him wearing the crown in this division.

## GOES TO BUCKS FROM Defunct Tacoma Team



JIMMY EVANS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—Jimmy Evans, diminutive center player with the disbanded Tacoma team, of the Pacific Coast Hockey League, has been sold to Portland, of the same league, according to Frank Patrick, league president. Including Evans, four of the old Tacoma outfit have now been placed. Kenny has gone to New York Rangers, Omondson and Redpath are now with Vancouver, and Evans will don a Portland uniform. The other members of the disbanded team have been declared free agents.

Evans played with the Victoria Cubs for two seasons and was always well up in the scoring column. He is an exceedingly clean player and during his first year with the local team was voted the most valuable player to the team, and received a handsome silver trophy.

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Jan. 6 (AP).—Victorio Campolo, Argentine heavyweight, announced today he had accepted a match with K.O. Christner, of Akron, Ohio, here early in March. Campolo said he intended to return to the United States and continue his title quest immediately after the match.

## PENDRAY CUP SERIES WILL START TODAY

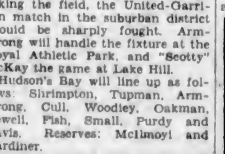
Hudson's Bay and Navy to Battle in Feature Midweek Soccer Attraction

## TOMMIES TO MEET SAANICH ELEVEN

Percy Shrimpton and his classy football eleven, representing the colors of the Hudson's Bay Company, will start in defence of the Pendray Cup this afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30 o'clock. The Navy team, which has been in even odds to win the Pendray Cup this season, will take the field, the United-Garrison match in the suburban district should be sharply fought. Armstrong will handle the fixture at the Royal Athletic Park, and "Geotzy" McKay the game at Lake Hill.

## THREE ARE TIED IN P.C.H.L. SCORING

McGoldrick, Conn and Jack Walker in Front With Seven Points Each—Kenny is "Bad Man"



JACK WALKER

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—Pacific Coast Hockey League scoring announced today show three players tied for first place with seven points each. They are McGoldrick, Conn and Jack Walker. New Seattle's "Bad Man" Kenny has three goals and four assists, while Walker has one goal and six assists.

## Mrs. K. C. Allen And Mrs. Lennox Medal Winners

Mrs. K. C. Allen continues to show brilliant form in the local golfing world, and yesterday added another medal honor to her list when she headed the class "A" field home at the Victoria Golf Club, with 86, 10, 78. Mrs. Lennox carried off the prize in class "B," with 103, 28, 75.

## HOCKEY BODY TO APPEAL

BATHURST, N.B., Jan. 6.—The Maritime Amateur Hockey Association will place the case of the outcasted Eastern Nova Scotia Hockey League for reinstatement in Maritime and Allan Cup play before the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association. At a conference here today between the M.A.H.A. executives and representatives of the Eastern League this step was decided upon. The Eastern League was banned because of alleged violations of the residence rule.

## A.A.U. HEAD NAMES 1931 COMMITTEES

J. C. Dowds and Percy Watson Are Two Local Men Selected

## P. L. MULQUEEN HEADS OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6 (CP).—National committee of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada have been announced by James I. Morin, Winnipeg, president. The personnel of the committees follow: Registration—W. A. Fry (chairman), Dunnville, Ont.; C. H. Croft, Edmonton; J. C. Dows, Victoria; J. W. Hamilton, Regina; D. T. Corbett, Fort William; J. W. Turner, Toronto; Cecil Duncan, Ottawa; James Macdonald, Montreal; C. C. Gillespie, Moncton, N.B.

Affiliations and Alliances—W. A. Albright (chairman), Winnipeg; B. J. Fain, Montreal; Dr. J. G. Davidson, Vancouver; Chief Inspector George B. Guthrie, Toronto; Samuel Rogers, Toronto.

Boxing and Wrestling—J. H. Crocker (chairman), London; W. Keegan, Winnipeg; P. E. Nobart, Toronto; Major S. H. Wilson, Port Arthur; Dennis White, Montreal; Track and Field—A. E. H. Coe (chairman), Winnipeg; G. B. Cheesman, Cardston, Man.; R. G. Fry, Toronto; E. H. Bourdon, Montreal; E. Mackenzie, Pictou, N.S.

Canadian Olympic Committee—P. J. Mulqueen (president), Toronto; M. Robinson (secretary), Hamilton. British Empire Games Committee—E. W. Beatty, K.C. (chairman), Montreal; M. Robinson (secretary), Hamilton.

In accordance with resolutions adopted at the annual meeting of the union held at Vancouver, the president has appointed the following special committees: Records—Robert Kerr (chairman), Hamilton; Sheriff C. D. Shipley, Amherst, N.S.; R. G. Pughman, Ottawa; H. Serrall, Port Arthur; J. M. Taylor, Medicine Hat.

Gymnastics—Robert Bonney (chairman), Toronto; A. E. Taylor, Toronto; T. H. Coffey, St. John; E. W. (Joe) Griffiths, Saskatoon; J. C. McCaughey, Ottawa.

Legislation—J. P. Watson (chairman), Victoria; J. Beaton, Montreal; C. W. Macdonald, Saskatoon; H. Smith, Toronto; A. I. Daniel, Brandon.

Publicity—W. A. Hewitt (chairman), Toronto; Bruce Borcham, Vancouver; R. B. Wilson, Calgary; P. W. Edwards, Port William; Miss Irene Wall, Montreal.

Cricket—E. Nobbs (chairman), Montreal; Charles Walters, Toronto; W. A. Aldritt, Winnipeg; John G. Near, Toronto; W. H. Chappell, Jr., Baltimore, Md.

Women's Athletics—Miss P. Crang, Edmonton; A. Riley, Vancouver; Hector Craig, Winnipeg; G. Williams, Regina; J. McQuillan, Port Arthur; Les Verne, Ottawa; Dr. A. S. Lamb, Montreal; Mrs. W. E. Sterling, Halifax. Chairman to be named later.

Education—J. H. Crocker (chairman), London; Dr. J. G. Davidson, Vancouver; Judge J. A. Jackson, Lethbridge.

Competitor to Negotiate With Dominion Football Association—James I. Morin, K.C. Winnipeg; C. C. Robinson, Winnipeg; F. H. Marples, Winnipeg.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6 (AP).—Ray Blades, outfielder and coach of the Cardinals, will enter St. John's Hospital here today to undergo an operation for an injury to his ankle. He suffered a displaced bone last summer when struck by a ball.

## N.Y. Commission Declares German No Longer Champ

Failure of Maxie to Sign for Bout With Boston Gob Draws Ire of State Body—Would Recognize Winner of Sharkey-Stribling Mix as Titleholder

## Georgian Says He Will Meet Teuton For Title at Chicago Next June

NEW YORK, Jan. 6 (AP).—The storm brewing over the heavyweights for the past six months broke in a crash of verbal thunder today as the New York State Athletic Commission stripped Max Schmeling of his championship and drove him and title fight into outer pastures. The commission refused Schmeling null and void for refusing to sign for a return match with Jack Sharkey and declared they would accept as champion the winner of a match between Sharkey and Young Stribling, the pride of Georgia, although they had refused up to this point to consider Stribling as a fit opponent.

So following the precedent of 1926, when Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney were forced to Philadelphia to fight for the heavyweight crown, Schmeling will take his title claims either to Chicago, Detroit, Jersey City or Philadelphia in June and defend them against the assaults of Young Stribling.

\$500,000 BID MADE Although four bidders already are in the field for the match, Nat Lewis, matchmaker at the Chicago Stadium, which controls Soldier Field and its seating capacity of 100,000, has the inside track with \$500,000 bid for the Maxie's services as well as an option on Stribling. Lewis and Sidney Stripling, president of the Chicago Stadium Corporation, arrived here today for further conference with Jacobs.

Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager, has all but formally accepted the Chicago offer and in Miami today Pa Stribling announced he had come to terms definitely with Jacobs and agreed to a title fight with Schmeling at Soldier Field in June. Stribling declared he was not interested in matching his son with Sharkey.

CARNER MATCH IN AIR Meanwhile, it appeared that negotiations for Stribling to fight Primo Carnera, the big Italian, in Miami next month, or for any heavyweight match in Florida, were very much in doubt.

STRIKING READY MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 6 (AP).—W. L. (Young) Stribling will fight Max Schmeling in Chicago next June, despite Schmeling's disqualification by the New York Athletic Commission, his father-manager announced today. The elder Stribling said he accepted terms to put his son in the ring with Schmeling at a Chicago milk fund benefit. The affair will be held at Soldier Field, although the date is not definite.

We'd rather fight the champion than a contender, he said.

cause of his prowess. There is no doubt but that this second lapse will mean another enforced lay-off. Peter McWilliam, once a famous international halfback, now manager of Middlebrough, advises that he always liked his team to be twenty-five points in the locker by the end of the year, which is about the season's halfway mark. He should be happy, as his club is at this mark and occupies a respectable position in the English First Division chart.

A. H. Price, of Wrexham, was one of the first class referees dropped by the Football League. He was officially told: "The only reason your name was not included in the list was that your record, which was carefully tabulated, of matches did not warrant the retaining of your name in one of the better records of certain supplementary referees." G. D. Munnerley, another referee given the gate, is up in arms and wants to know the reason why.

Did you know that W. Crilly, the ex-Celtic center forward, who became a naturalized American while playing in the United States, has been refused permission to play in Scotland? That a benefit will be played next summer for the widow of the late W. Whysall, the Nottinghamshire cricketer, that Moses Russell, the old Welsh international back, who toured Canada with the Welshmen, is seriously ill, that when Weddie, the Portsmouth centre, was asked to sign professional he jumped at the chance because he was out of a job and on the dole; that if Dan McRorie does not like the climate in Liverpool, he is to go back to play for Greenock-Morton; that seven players were sent off the field to junior and intermediate soccer games in Glasgow on December 27? (Copyright, 1930, S.N.S.)

## RUGBY UNION TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING TONIGHT

An important meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Room 313 Central Building. All members of the executive are asked to be present.

## French Truck Stars Will Appear in U.S.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6 (AP).—A little international flavoring has been tossed into the indoor truck season to make it that much more palatable to the customers. Two of France's leading middle distance stars, Seraphin Martin and Paul Keller, have accepted invitations to run here and under present plans, will compete in half a dozen Eastern meets, including the national A.A.U. championships at Madison Square Garden, February 23. Jules Ladoumègue, track 1,500-metre runner, also was invited, but declined in view of his forthcoming marriage.

# ALBIE AND JUMBO DAVIES WILL GO SOUTH

## Local Fighters Sign Long Contracts With Portland Promoters

Group of Rose City Sportsmen to Develop Promising Victoria Youngsters—Jack Cody to Be Manager—Boys Will Leave Soon

Billy Davies announced yesterday that he had accepted a cash offer from a group of prominent Portland promoters for the exclusive boxing services of his two sons, Albie and Jumbo Davies. The contract is for a period of two years, and the boys will receive coaching by experts in the game, and will be provided with suitable sparring partners, which should soon develop them into big-time performers. It is expected that they will do all of their fighting in Portland or California rings in future.

Jack Cody, who is well known to local sportsmen as the swimming coach of the Multnomah Athletic Club, of Portland, will act as manager for the two local fighters, and he has advised them that he has already secured fights for them at Portland on January 20. No mention has been made as to who will oppose them.

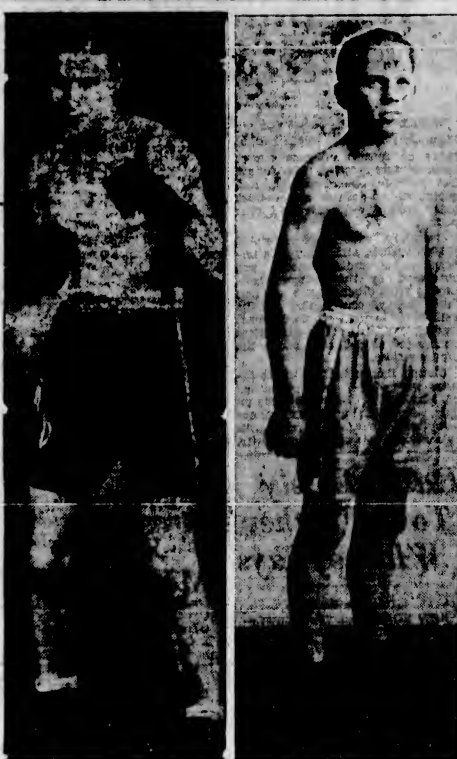
ALBIE DAVIES FAVORITE

Albie Davies is a great favorite

with Portland fans by virtue of his impressive showing there a few weeks ago, when he gave Jimmy Dolan a boxing lesson, and it is expected that the aggressive type of Jumbo will also make a big hit with the Portlanders. The fight game is in a flourishing condition at Portland, and the big auditorium, where the bouts are staged every Tuesday night, is usually packed to capacity. Billy Davies stated that he had had many offers during the last year for the services of the two boys, but he turned them down with the hope that conditions here with regard to the boxing game would improve, but he stated that as the apathy for the sport looks like continuing here indefinitely, he had no other alternative than to sign a contract and give the boys a chance to advance in the game. The boys are requested to be at Portland not later than January 15 for training.

After the contract had been signed, an offer for bouts in Australia arrived here, and it has been turned over to Manager Cody to deal with.

## Sign Lengthy Contracts



ALBIE DAVIES JUMBO DAVIES

Two of Victoria's most promising fighters, who have signed two-year contracts with a group of Portland sportsmen. The brothers are two of the best boys ever developed in Victoria, and have made rapid strides in the ring game. Jack Cody, of Portland, will be their new manager, and the boys have been ordered to report to him by January 15.

## Kearns Threatens \$1,000,000 Suit Against N.Y. Body

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6 (AP).—Jack Kearns, manager of Mickey Walker, whose midweight championship was declared vacant today by the New York State Athletic Commission, announced tonight he would start suit at once against the commission for \$1,000,000 unless its action was in restraint of trade. He asserted the commission's action would prevent Walker from earning a living. Kearns said Walker was ready and eager to defend his title against any logical contender at any time.

## Undeclared Oarsmen To Battle Scottish In Rugby Encounter

League-Leading J.B.A.A. Fifteen and Soldiers to Hook Up in Crucial Battle Saturday—Two Intermediate Fixtures Are Scheduled

### HOW THEY STAND

|                   |   |   |    |   |
|-------------------|---|---|----|---|
| J.B.A.A.          | 3 | 0 | 21 | 5 |
| Canadian Scottish | 3 | 1 | 42 | 4 |
| Oak Bay Wanderers | 3 | 2 | 47 | 0 |

The Rugby classic of the senior League is expected to take place Saturday afternoon at the Oak Bay Park when the league-leading undeclared J.B.A.A. fifteen trot out to battle the Canadian Scottish, last year's city and provincial militia champions. It will be the second meeting of these two teams this season, and if the result of the initial battle is any criterion, then Saturday's fixture will be a pleasant struggle from the start to finish.

Victory for Bob McEldine and his rugger flying the colors of the oarsmen will mean the first half championship with a clean slate, while on the other hand a verdict the other way will create a tie and a play-off will be necessary to decide the title-holders.

It was Jerry Fanning, former member of the Scottish, that was

responsible for the downfall of the soldiers when the boys chalked up their 3-0 victory in the first match. With both squads at full strength, the fans should witness a battle royal.

### DOUBLE BILL ARRANGED

Due to the Royal Athletic Park being occupied on Saturday by soccer teams, the Rugby League is forced to use the Oak Bay pitch. As the part of a double bill, the intermediate squads from the Canadian Scottish and J.B.A.A. camps will clash in the first attraction on the same grounds. Owing to their brilliant victory over Victoria College last week by a 20-3 score, the oarsmen will enter the fray favorites to come out on top. The Scottish showed up well last week and scored a 3-5 win over the Oak Bay Wanderers.

Victoria College, first half champions, will be out after their first victory in the race for the second half laurels with the Oak Bay Wanderers as their opponents. This fixture will be played at the Victoria High School grounds.

## JOKERS GAIN 8-5 VICTORY OVER ROVERS

### Gain Second Place Tie in Senior Roller Hockey Division

### MONARCHS NOSE OUT CANADIENS BY 4-3

Finishing their game with an 8-5 win over the Rovers, Jokers jumped into a tie for second place in the senior division of the City Roller Hockey League last night at the Gray Lane Roller Rink. In the intermediate game the undefeated Monarchs sailed through for another victory by a 4-3 win over the Canadiens.

Jokers jumped into an early lead in the senior game, and with Goalie Partridge performing in fine style between the posts they were never in danger of defeat throughout. Despite the fact that his team lost, Tyson, performing for the Canadiens, turned in an excellent game at forward.

Playing one of the most thrilling games of the league the Canadiens lost a tough decision to the conquering Monarchs. Play was keen all through this intermediate tussle, with both teams working hard to get the edge.

Line-ups follow:

Jokers—Partridge, Munro, Lawson, Wensley, Walker, Moore, Rickson, Johnson, Jenkins, and Brown.

Rovers—W. Blackstock, Dyer, J. Blackstock, Lambrecht, Taylor, Bayley, Tyson and Farmer.

Monarchs—Carf, White, Smith, Cruikshank, Clayton, B. O'Connor, J. O'Connor and Woodford.

Canadiens—White, Pattullo, Otter, Bloomfield, Harr, Parker, Anderson, Robertson, Stringer and Leas.

Undeclared a brand of basketball seldom seen in these parts, Coach Ray Brooks and his flashy squad of cagers hearing the colors of the Multnomah Club, Portland, swamped Peden Brothers, local senior champions, at the Victoria High School last night before a packed house by a 65-30 score. Despite the one-sided score the crowd witnessed a team of cagers who were trained to perfection in every department of the leather handling pastime.

Previous to the exhibition, President Jack Taylor called upon Mayor Herbert Anscomb to toss up the ball between the respective tip-off men. Before doing so, His Worship welcomed the Rose City quintette on behalf of the city of Victoria, and also the local league, of which he is honorary president. Mayor Anscomb, accompanied by his wife, sat through the game and was an enthusiastic spectator until the final whistle.

Playing a powerful five-man defense and an equally strong offensive, the Portlanders were never in danger and scored practically at will. Victoria's defeat was no disgrace as from the opening blast it was obvious that their opponents were superior in all departments. Their front line worked like a charm, and the fans were handed many a thrill from the way the winners worked the leather in under the basket. When in danger in their territory, which was seldom, they put up a defense that the local lads gave up hope trying to solve.

During the opening stanza the visitors used the regular method of calling signals from the tip-off, but in the second half Coach Brooks gave the signal and his boys worked the "huddle" system to great advantage. Lanky John Inge was the pivot man in the plays, and he executed all of them without a hitch.

Sizing up the situation from the start, the Portlanders never really opened up during the first period. However, their front and back divisions worked smoothly together, and as a result they were leading at the interval by a 23-11 score. Burly Andrews, star guard, Inge, centre, and Edwards were the scoring brightlights for the visitors in this period. Andrews caged three pretty baskets, while Inge did, likewise, and Edwards dropped home two baskets and three foul shots.

Hocking, Jones and Robertson kept the locals in the fight in the initial period with some practically goal in which they certainly had to work hard to get for they faced a defence that would not let them get anywhere near the hoop.

Using the "huddle" system at the start of the final stanza, the Rose City aggregation ran roughshod over the locals, setting a terrific pace until the final blast. Baskets came so fast that the fans hardly had time to realize what was going on. "Chuck" Chapman was ruled out of play on four personal early in the period, while Doug Robertson followed him a few minutes before full time for the same offences.

Of all the field goals the visitors scored it was left to Johnny Inge

## Multnomah Cagers Uncork Fine Form In 65 to 30 Victory

Visiting Quintette Opens Island Tour With One-Sided Win Over Peden Brothers at High School Gym—Team Uses New Plays to Advantage

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## VICTORIA HIGH CHALKS UP WIN OVER HUSTLERS

Black and Gold Cagers Score 41-11 Victory to Create Tie for Loop Title

### WINNERS DISPLAY BRILLIANT FORM

Coach Claude Campbell and his band of Victoria High School basketballers jumped into a tie for berth in the race for the Victoria High School title in the city league with the Knights of Pythias by scoring a 41-11 win over the Hustlers last night at the Victoria High School gymnasium. The first round of the championship of the city league was played as the curtain-raiser to the Multnomah Club-Peden Brothers exhibition attraction.

Setting a fast pace from the first sound of the whistle, the black and gold quintette took control of the situation and piled up an early lead, which their opponents failed to even think of disputing. At the interval, the High School were out in front by an 18-7 score.

Continuing their furious pace throughout the second period, the winners walked through the opposition guards almost at will, scoring some pretty baskets during their attacks. High School scored twenty-one points in the last section to the Hustlers' four. Lynn Patrick, with fourteen, Goldsmith with ten, and Art Chapman with nine, were the leading scorers for the winners, while Bruce Macmurchie, with eight, stood out for the losers. Alan Le Marquand refereed, and the teams were as follows:

High School—Goldsmith (10), Moore (10), Patrick (14), A. Chapman (9), M. Patrick (8), Levy and Fraser.

Hustlers—Robertson (2), Gibson, Martin (1), Johnson, Macmurchie (8), Menzies and Fraser.

### INTERNATIONAL CHESS

HASTINGS, England, Jan. 6 (AP).—The eighth and semi-final round of the international tournament at the Hastings Chess Festival was contested here today, all five games being decided, in addition to the adjourned game from the seventh round.

Dr. Max Euwe, of Holland, now leads by one point; P. D. Yates and W. Winter, both of Great Britain, were the winners. Jose R. Capablanca, of Cuba, was held to a draw by Mitchell, of Great Britain. Capablanca is tied with Saita Khan, of India, for second place.

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## REVISED COAST LEAGUE HOCKEY SCHEDULE CUT

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VANCOUVER, Jan. 6 (CP).—The revised Pacific Coast Hockey League schedule was issued today by President Frank Patrick. Games are scheduled as usual at Vancouver every Thursday, and at Seattle every Friday. The complete schedule for the remainder of the season follows:

January 8—Vancouver at Portland.

January 9—Vancouver at Seattle.

January 12—Seattle at Vancouver.

January 15—Seattle at Portland.

January 18—Portland at Seattle.

January 19—Portland at Vancouver.

January 22—Vancouver at Portland.

January 23—Vancouver at Seattle.

January 25—Seattle at Vancouver.

January 28—Seattle at Portland.

January 30—Portland at Seattle.

February 2—Portland at Vancouver.

February 5—Vancouver at Seattle.

February 9—Seattle at Vancouver.

February 12—Seattle at Portland.

February 13—Portland at Seattle.

February 16—Portland at Vancouver.

February 20—Vancouver at Seattle.

February 23—Seattle at Portland.

February 27—Portland at Seattle.

February 28—Portland at Vancouver.

March 2—Portland at Vancouver.

March 5—Vancouver at Portland.

March 6—Vancouver at Seattle.

March 12—Seattle at Portland.

March 13—Portland at Seattle.

March 16—Portland at Vancouver.

March 19—Vancouver at Seattle.

March 20—Vancouver at Seattle.

## CALIFORNIA HOCKEY

OAKLAND, Jan. 6 (AP).—A solid defensive and a fast breaking forward attack gave the San Francisco Tigers a 2 to 0 victory over the Oakland Seals in a California Hockey League game here tonight. It was the first defeat given the Seals in nine starts.

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## BOWLING

### OLYMPIC SENIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| A. Anderson    | 137  | 131-403     |
| J. B. Bess     | 143  | 105-417-543 |
| W. E. Dunn     | 218  | 157-231-680 |
| W. P. Hays     | 214  | 174-44-452  |
| W. Yamamoto    | 148  | 144-482     |
| H. Phipps      | 178  | 208-597     |

Totals 991 688 292-291

### COLONIST SCRIBES

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930    |
|----------------|------|---------|
| C. Savage      | 185  | 100-448 |
| C. Anderson    | 137  | 104-448 |
| W. P. Hays     | 214  | 108-448 |
| C. B. Rodway   | 183  | 108-448 |
| T. Nuts        | 231  | 102-448 |

Totals 947 608 291-1793

### ARCADIAN FIFTEEN LEAGUE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| A. Porter      | 583  | 252-111-718 |
| R. Jenkins     | 117  | 274-212-603 |
| C. Colton      | 168  | 106-448     |
| A. Quinn       | 212  | 180-108-501 |
| L. Fox         | 199  | 224-208-728 |

Totals 1094 1101-1108-3267

### ARCADIAN COMMERCIAL TENNIS LEAGUE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| W. Norris      | 208  | 218-849     |
| R. Lawless     | 163  | 267-253-723 |
| R. Davidson    | 121  | 128-374     |
| H. Hamilton    | 161  | 113-130-313 |
| J. Muxtable    | 242  | 240-332-719 |

Totals 892 1238-1098-3167

### POODLE DOG CAFE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| H. Short       | 158  | 112-474     |
| B. Bunkley     | 188  | 184-607-434 |
| Low score      | 144  | 108-608-699 |
| W. Hamilton    | 184  | 148-184-303 |
| B. Nelson      | 180  | 161-176-353 |

Totals 894 607-2652

### B.C. TELEPHONE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| J. McEldine    | 108  | 208-108-589 |
| J. Howell      | 118  | 218-318-423 |
| T. Johnson     | 188  | 194-367-443 |
| P. Young       | 208  | 218-448-633 |
| A. Martin      | 144  | 148-173-608 |

Totals 824 1087-1012-2693

### NEW ENGLAND CAFE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| C. Richardson  | 130  | 108-143-471 |
| C. Young       | 170  | 124-182-487 |
| J. McNeill     | 139  | 123-284-603 |
| P. Young       | 144  | 148-184-303 |
| A. Martin      | 144  | 148-184-303 |

Totals 688 724-733-2126

### ELKS

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| H. Edwards     | 108  | 108-324-133 |
| J. Oddy        | 117  | 208-181-583 |
| J. Lee         | 277  | 102-404-603 |
| D. Cronin      | 144  | 184-184-303 |
| A. Pike        | 247  | 107-186-500 |

Totals 1027 705-698-2004

### COLONIST CONCORD

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| D. Clark       | 198  | 237-162-587 |
| Low score      | 158  | 108-184-303 |
| W. Arnold      | 164  | 108-184-303 |
| Low score      | 158  | 108-184-303 |
| H. Buckle      | 180  | 181-184-303 |

Totals 877 694-617-3918

### UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| O. Kennis      | 232  | 168-173-584 |
| H. Kennis      | 188  | 128-180-589 |
| C. Cam         | 228  | 108-604-633 |
| J. Irving      | 228  | 128-173-628 |
| J. Rethel      | 228  | 128-173-628 |

Totals 1048 830-860-2827

### MODERN SHOE

| COLONIST TYPES | 1931 | 1930        |
|----------------|------|-------------|
| T. Pollard     | 238  | 184-127-883 |
| C. Brown       | 188  | 128-180-589 |
| J. Rethel      | 228  | 128-173-628 |

Totals 654 716-716-3127

### NONTITLE BOUTS TO BE BANNED BY NEW COMMISSIONER

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6 (AP).—Robert E. Edgren, sports writer, cartoonist and critic, already has started his clean-up of boxing in California.

As one of the state's new athletic commissioners, Edgren today announced that non-title bouts in boxing are to be banned.

# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

## General Progress Upward Is Made on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 6 (AP).—With the exception of one setback, which scarcely lasted through the first hour, the stock market made steady progress today.

It was a slow advance, but it gained momentum during the afternoon and the favorite industrial were up a point or two net. Ralls made a better showing, and there was group strength in such other subdivisions as the foods, copper, tobacco, motion pictures and chemicals. Activity increased slightly on the rally, although sales totaled only 1,906,610 shares.

An unusually larger number of preferred stocks sold, mostly in ten-share lots, and prices in many instances rallied two or three points or more.

Coppers ignored the reduction in Cerro de Pasco dividend, and Calumet & Arizona, Kennecott, American Smelting and Anaconda were up a point or two. The move in chemical shares was more vigorous, Allied rising 3, Union Carbide, 1, and United Carbon, about 2.

U.S. Steel, American Can, American Telephone, National Biscuit, General Electric and Westinghouse gave the share market strong leadership for today's advance, all closing a point or more higher.

All sections of the bond market made progress today under the impetus of a good demand that influenced brisk bidding in many instances, however, and bonds resumed their upward movement in the afternoon in a turnover comparable with the best of the year-end.

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| ELECTRIC AND MFG.     |        |        |        |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| High                  | Low    | Close  | Change |
| Alum. Chas. & S. Mfg. | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
| Alum. Ind. Corp.      | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
| Alum. Ind. Corp.      | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
| Alum. Ind. Corp.      | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
| Alum. Ind. Corp.      | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
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| Alum. Ind. Corp.      | 34 1/2 | 34 1/2 | 0      |
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Germany—2.25 1/2; cables 2.25 1/2.

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## BIDS OFFER LIQUIDATION IN VANCOUVER

Strong Buying Support Is

Given Market—Net

Changes Are Limited

HOME OIL DROPS 4c

PREMIER GOLD GAINS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6 (CP).—

Moderate weakness on Eastern ex-

changes and continuation of the

realizing movement that made its

appearance in the late trading dur-

ing the previous session hampered

by strong buying support, and

although the close was highly ir-

regular, net changes in all groups

were of a minor character.

Brokers' houses report the re-

turn of public interest to the mar-

ket. Boardrooms have been filled

to capacity daily, and several of-

ficials have found it necessary to in-

crease their staffs. The trading vol-

ume Tuesday was the highest for

the New Year, with transfers of

32,803 shares.

During the morning trading was

confined to a comparatively narrow

range. Generally opened easier.

In the closing hour leaders narrowly

advanced, and such issues as A.P.

Consolidated, Dalhousie, Mayland

and United succeeded in registering

minor gains.

Heaviness developed in shares

that had been foremost in the re-

cent upturn. Home Oil crossed

the board at an even 100, but sagged

on the closing bid to 188, a net de-

cline of 4 cents. Commonwealth also

sagging downward and ended the day

at 38 cents, down 5 cents below the

previous close. Eastern, at 55 cents,

lost 2 cents, while United recovered

1 1/2 cents to 28 1/2 cents.

With the exception of Premier

Gold, which recorded a net increase

of 1 cent at 89 cents, the tone of

the market was one of soft-

ness. Big Missouri suffered a set-

back during the early dealings and

continued off to reach a low for the

day at 41 cents, prior to the noon

trade. A late rally lifted the price

to 42 cents, to close at 41 cents, a

net loss of 4 cents. Cotton Belt

lost 2 cents to 28 1/2 cents, while

new Gold closed unchanged at 125

bid.

AFTERNOON SALES

On

Associated Oil—1,000 at 35.

Mayland—1,000 at 35.

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### Chase National Bank's Resources \$2,700,000,000

By JOHN F. BENCLAIR  
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The remarkable record of the Chase National Bank, as shown in its statement for December 31, has been the talk of Wall Street for several days.

Here's one bank, whose total resources have reached nearly \$2,700,000,000—an increase of a little over \$48,000,000 since the statement of June 30 last.

Even more remarkable is the showing of its total deposits, which amount to \$2,073,000,000, an increase of \$221,000,000 since September 24 last. The combined capital, surplus and undivided profits of this bank have reached the total of \$357,000,000.

For the last six months of 1930, when bank earnings in New York, as well as throughout the United States, were badly shattered, the Chase National earned \$13,275,000, equal to \$17.9 a share on its 7,400,000 shares outstanding.

**VANCOUVER WHEAT**

| Wheat—         | Open   | High   | Low    | Close  |
|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Jan. 1st       | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 | 54 1/2 |
| Mar.           | 56 1/2 | 56 1/2 | 56 1/2 | 56 1/2 |
| Cal.           | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 | 58 1/2 |
| No. 1 Hard     | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 |
| No. 1 Northern | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 | 55 1/2 |
| No. 2 Northern | 51 1/2 | 51 1/2 | 51 1/2 | 51 1/2 |
| No. 3 Wheat    | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 | 45 1/2 |
| No. 4 Wheat    | 43 1/2 | 43 1/2 | 43 1/2 | 43 1/2 |
| Feed           | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 |

### Burgess Bedtime Stories

Jerry Gives a Warning  
By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Though warnings may be sadly needed, you'll find them very seldom heeded.

—Old Mother Nature.

The more Jerry thought about that strange boy he had seen around the Smiling Pool and along the Laughing Brook, the more disturbed he became. After the boy had gone, Jerry went to see what the boy had been doing. It didn't take Jerry long to discover that the stranger had been chiefly interested in such places as he and Mrs. Jerry and their children were in the habit of using as places of rest or on which to eat. This didn't make him feel any more comfortable.

Jerry went home and at the first opportunity when the children were gathered about he warned them. "Perhaps you have noticed," said he, "a strange two-legged creature around here of late."

Several of the young Muskies admitted that they had, but said that he was harmless.

"How do you know?" demanded Jerry.

"Because," said one young Muskrat, "the other day I climbed out on a log right in front of him before I saw him sitting on the bank, and nothing happened. He didn't even try to catch me."

**on Sore throat Coughs Colds**

**BUCKLEY'S**

**Acts like a Flash**

PEOPLE who try Buckley's Mixture for the first time are surprised. Its action is so quick, relief so rapid. "Buckley's" neutralizes the acid condition, always present with coughs and colds, loosens phlegm, soothes inflamed throat membranes, penetrates bronchial passages, stops the cough, checks the cold, and invigorates the system. Two doses—40c (16 doses)—75c (40 doses). At all druggists.

**BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE**

Acts like a Flash—A Sore's So Powerful

40 DOSES IN A 75c BOTTLE

## At The Playhouses

### 'PLAYBOY OF PARIS' FEATURES CHEVALIER

Fascinating Lothario of Screen Appears at Dominion in English Picture

Three women complicate the love situation for Maurice Chevalier in that star's screamingly funny comedy romance, "Playboy of Paris," in which the joyous Lothario will woo and warble at the Dominion Theatre, starting today, for three days. Now the man who "Brought a New Kind of Love" to America has troubles of his own with a bevy of Parisian lights-o'-love.

Maurice, gay, debonair, and dauntless as a millionaire waiter. All day he waits on the rich people of Paris, longing to take his place with them in the glamorous life of the world's fashion centre. At night, transformed, he joins the throng of merry-makers in the brilliant cafes, and with his bewitching singing, his melting love-making, becomes a favorite with all women.

The pretty Frances Dee, the lucky Hollywood ex-girl, who soared to movie heights when chosen to play with Chevalier, enters the contest for his heart, turns the tables on a blonde courtesan and an ambitious gold-digger, and snatches Maurice from his mountain of dreams. "Playboy of Paris" is an entrancing love story built for laughs.

### CYRIL MAUDE APPEARS IN GREATEST SUCCESS

British Actor-Manager Gives Brilliant Character Study at Coliseum

That famous English character actor, Cyril Maude, in his celebrated title role of "Grumpy," will be the attraction on the Coliseum screen today, Thursday and Friday. Cyril Maude has played "Grumpy" over one thousand times in various parts of the British Empire with a remarkable run in the United States.

"Grumpy" is proving one of the funniest and most unusual pictures of the year. It is a side-splitting comedy, thrilling mystery and tender romance all blended into perfect entertainment by the genius of Cyril Maude. This fine English actor is supported by an excellent cast, and expense was not considered by the producers of the all-talking version of this famous play.

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"It is a terrible pair of jaws that spring up and seize you by a leg and won't let you go no matter what you do," replied Jerry. "Then the two-legged creature who put the trap there comes to kill you while the trap holds you fast."

"You seem to know a lot about it," said one of the young Muskies.

"I do," replied Jerry. He pulled his tail, that queer tail flattened on the sides, around where they could see it. "Do you all see that little white line on my tail?" he asked.

All nodded. "That is where one of those terrible traps caught me when I was young and heedless," said he. "I managed to pull free, but I was lucky. Yes, sir, I was lucky. I have seen a Muskrat caught by a foot gnaw that foot off because he couldn't get free any other way. I have seen another twist a foot off."

The young Muskies shuddered. "I have seen a Muskrat caught so that he could neither gnaw his foot off nor twist it off. I have seen him so held for two days and nights before the trapper came and killed him, and every minute of that time he was suffering." Again the young Muskies shuddered.

"These terrible traps, the most awful thing in all the Great World, spring as you from the very places that you have always found safe and where you are not looking for danger," continued Jerry. "Sometimes they are just under the water. Sometimes they are hidden by dead grass or leaves. Sometimes something good to eat, something very tempting, is placed so that to reach it you will be certain to step where these terrible jaws can jump up and catch you. Beware, my children, of traps. Beware. Beware."

The young Muskies looked at each other and some of them grinned, but took care that Jerry should not see them doing it. "He's getting old and scary," whispered one to another.

"He's living in the past. I haven't seen any of these dreadful traps he tells about," whispered a second.

"He's in his second childhood," chuckled a third.

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### AMUSEMENTS

**On the Screen**  
Capitol—Reginald Denny, in "Madam Satan."  
Coliseum—"Grumpy," starring Cyril Maude.  
Columbia—Jack Mulhall, in "Murder Will Out."  
Dominion—"Playboy of Paris," starring Maurice Chevalier.  
Playhouse—Warner Baxter, in "Renegades."  
Crystal Garden—Swimming, Dancing and Miniature Golf.

**CAPITOL** Once one just got a THEATRE semi-sensational story from Cecil B. De Mille. Now the noted producer-director gives us "Madam Satan," which closes tonight at the Capitol Theatre, a plot reminiscent of his early divorce story thrillers, plus the exciting ballets and a whole melange of charming songs. Kay Johnson sings and plays magnificently the main role of "Madam Satan." Denny, by the way, also sings to great advantage. He matches Kay's "Meet Madam" and "Live and Love Today" with "All I Know Is You Are in My Arms" and "This Is Love."

**PLAYHOUSE** Action, excitement, treachery, heroism and a strange romance are combined in "Renegades," Warner Baxter's newest Fox movie vehicle now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. Myrna Loy and Noah Beery head the supporting cast of this history of the French Foreign Legion, which was directed by Victor Fleming.

**COLUMBIA** "Murder Will Out," the first National picture showing at the Columbia Theatre, last times today, is a mystery comedy. The plot deals with the efforts of black-mailers to extort money from a wealthy New York clubman. Jack Mulhall has the featured role with Lila Lee as his leading woman.

### Japan's Exports Exceed Imports During Year 1930

TOKIO, Jan. 6 (AP).—Government reports on Japan's foreign trade during the past year today disclosed that exports in 1930 totaled approximately \$34,500,000, and imports \$773,000,000.

### VICTORY BONDS AND WAR LOAN SECURITIES

(Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd.)

| DOMINION 5% LOAN |        |
|------------------|--------|
| 1931             | 100.00 |
| 1932             | 100.00 |
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### MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 6 (CP).—Butter, eggs and cheese, firm. Cheese, finest Western, 12-12. Butter, No. 1, 31-32. Eggs, storage extra, 35-37; storage firsts, 31-33; storage seconds, 27-29; fresh special, 45-50; fresh extra, 45-47; fresh firsts, 40-42.

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## DEEPEST MINE IN CANADA IS KIRKLAND LAKE

Parallel Veins Disclosed by Development Work at Depth of 4,275 Feet

IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVE IS 5,000-FOOT LEVEL

(Mehar, Roe & Co., Ltd.)  
The deepest mine in Canada, Kirkland Lake Gold Mines, Ltd., has opened up high-grade ore at the 4,275 horizon. Formation that is characteristic of the neighboring Teck-Hughes and Lake Shore properties, was entered on the Kirkland Lake at about 3,800 feet, the ore richest and most consistent ore bodies have been opened up on this level. At 4,000 feet, 4,150 feet and now 4,275 feet, two important parallel veins have been disclosed, a narrow vein of very high grade and a wide vein of good grade. Over 3,500 feet, the porphyries are massive, and the rich ore is present to what extent only time will tell. The management have an immediate objective of 5,000 feet, opening up levels as they go down.

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### BURMESE REBELS ARE STILL ACTIVE

THARRAWADDY, Burma, Jan. 6 (AP).—Burmese rebels still are active despite the death of their mysterious leader, when his jungle stronghold was stormed last week. A great drive by British authorities was in progress against them today.

The most recent attack of any size came Saturday night, when more than 100 insurgents attacked a police outpost at Kimpat and wounded a sentry. They were driven off, leaving seven killed and many wounded.

Reinforcements of military and police have been brought to the region and all paths of egress are blocked.

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Oranges are selling well in the wholesale market just now, being cheap and possessing good quality for the price; they are bringing, in the wholesale market, 25 cents per box, and are commencing to receive their orders for large quantities before the market closes.

### RICE STEM BORER IS SAVED FOR SCIENCE

University of British Columbia Houses Lone Specimen of Dreaded Cereal Destroyer

When provincial plant inspectors at the Vancouver import quarantine station last week detected and destroyed living specimens of the brown-tailed moth from Holland, and the rice-stem borer from China, they saved alive a lone specimen of the latter for study at the University of British Columbia.

Isolated, and under close detention, the single living rice-stem borer will be subjected to penetrating scientific observation in the course of the next few weeks to determine precisely and generally what tree it has descended from in the very large family of active cereal destroying pests.

Incidentally, it was learned the brown-tailed moth, a pest of which in caterpillar form was found in rose bushes imported from Europe and effectively destroyed by fumigation, is a pest that has proved fatal to man. Hairs from the insect, once under the skin, set up an inflammation that in several cases has proved fatal to inspectors exposed to the risk in other countries.

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Captain Kaneko is well known to Victoria shipping circles, being a former commander of the Siberia Maru, and he proved a genial host aboard his fine ship while she lay alongside the pier here, while in port yesterday. In spite of the early hour, the coming of the vessel had been looked for by a number of visitors, who inspected her fine appointments.

The Heian Maru will replace the steamship Siberia Maru, which sailed from Victoria on December 10 on her last voyage in the trans-Pacific service. The ship was built by the Osaka Iron Works and launched on April 16 last. She is 536 feet long over all, 66 feet beam and 41 feet in depth. She is a twin screw Diesel ship with 11,550 tons gross, with a displacement of 20,000 tons.

The public rooms of the Heian were decorated by Wylie & Loch-head, Ltd., and Heaton, Tabb & Co., Ltd., both of London. The dining saloon was executed in the modernistic style, and the reading and writing room after the William and Mary period. The lounge is modernistic, while the smoking room is decorated in the old English style. There are a few minor differences in equipment in the three ships.

For example, the water-tight doors in the Heian were built by the Scott-Ross Company and are electrically operated, while in the Hikawa and Hyo they are hydraulically operated.

The Heian derives her name from the shrine Heian-jingu, which stands in Okazaki Park, Kyoto. This shrine is dedicated to the Emperor Kwammu, the founder of Kyoto, and was built in 1859 in commemoration of the 1,000th anniversary of the founding of the capital.

The main temple is a plain wooden structure built of hinoki or cypress; near it stand the gorgeously painted Oten-mon and the Takkyoku-den, which are reproductions of the original temples attached to the main palace in the time of the Emperor Kwammu.

WOMEN FLYERS SET ENDURANCE RECORD  
Flight Will Now Continue in an Attempt to Attain Record of Men

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6 (AP).—Edna May Cooper, film actress and aviator, and Bobbie Trout, Los Angeles girl flyer, broke the world endurance record today by flying 42 hours, 16 minutes for women at 8,460 ft. today. Months ago, in company with Eugene Smith, of New York, Miss Trout set the record surpassed by one hour today.

It was a chilly morning for record breaking with winds sweeping down from the municipal airport, scene of the flight, from the snow-capped ridge of the Hollywood Mountains, bordering the city. But the flight went smoothly on, now aimed at the men's record of 640 hours.

TONNAGE FIGURES ARE BELOW PREVIOUS YEAR  
VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—Final figures of deep sea movements into this port in 1930 are now completed by the Vancouver Merchant's Exchange, and show a total of 1,118 arrivals, of 4,474,225 net tons. This is a reduction as compared with the two preceding years. In 1929, the total was 1,284 vessels, and 4,806,649 net tons, and in 1928 it was 1,235 vessels, 1,663,002 net tons.

"You know I've been thinking about getting married," said the bachelor.

"Yes?" murmured his uncle, a man of few words.

"Do you think a married man can be happy?" insisted the bachelor.

"Certainly," replied the old fellow, "if his wife will let him."

Tunnel Proposed Between Sarnia and Port Huron  
Prospect of a vehicular tunnel between Sarnia and Port Huron, modeled after the Detroit-Windsor tunnel, were revealed today. The project, which would cost between ten and twelve million dollars, would be financed by interests arranged for by P. W. Martin, promoter of the Detroit River tunnel. It was learned on good authority that options for the Sarnia terminal have been taken on property in this city.

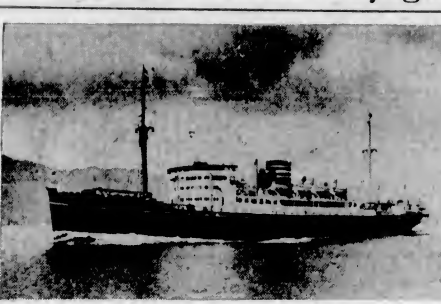
NEW RATES HOTEL STEWART  
In line with the trend of the times the Hotel Stewart announces a new rate schedule beginning Jan. 12. The new rates are: Single room, 12.00; double room, 14.00; suite, 16.00. Breakfast included. The hotel is located at the corner of Broadway and St. James, and is a fine example of modern architecture.

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## Made Fast Pacific Voyage



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The operation of the African section will be confined, for the first few months, to the stages between Cairo and Mwanza, but by mid-summer, 1931, the full 5,700 miles will be flown from Cairo through to Capetown.

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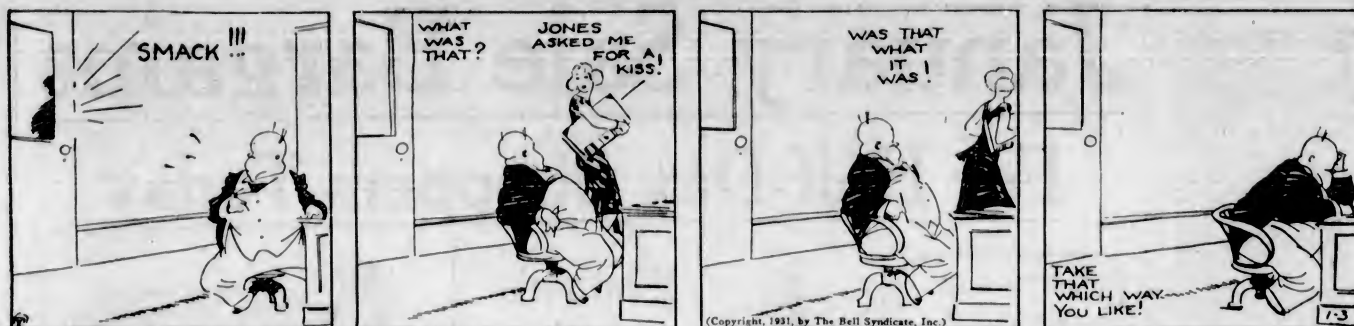
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## What Was It?

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## THAT CERTAIN PARTY

## Where Have I Seen You Before?

By Jack Wilhelm



## POLLY AND HER PALS

## A Dark Horse

By Cliff Sterrett



## TILLIE THE TOILER

By Westover



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## Even a Smile Can Become Tiresome

By C. M. Payne



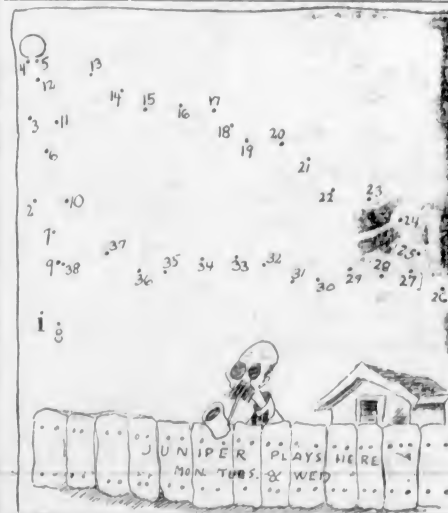
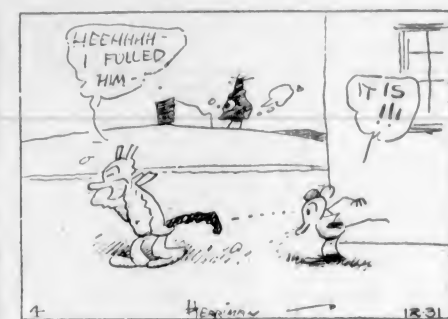
## DIXIE DUGAN

## But It's a Job Anyway!

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



## KRAZY KAT



THE DOT CARTOONIST, BY GEORGE BELL  
Speets thought he was stung when he bought the property at Radishville. But he's making up for it by seeing the games free. Radishville might get in the big series, too, for they have just about won the ... (Kindly draw straight lines between the numbers.)



"BROWN AS A BERRY"

ONLY IN FUN

A mild man, walking along a country lane, encountered an escaped lunatic who rushed at him with a ghastly grin on his face. The mild man fled. For miles they ran, over ploughed fields, through woods and ditches, till at last the madman overhauled the other. He stopped him lightly on the shoulder, and said:

"Touch! Now you chase me!"

Taking it, probably, from the lan-

## PENSION CASES TO BE DECIDED

Federal Pension Tribunal to  
Give Judgment in Sev-  
eral Appeals

MAY CONCLUDE TODAY

Six appeals were heard by the Federal Pension Tribunal yesterday, decision being reserved in five cases. In the sixth, the appeal was referred to the Board of Pension Commissioners for consideration, due to a change in diagnosis of the exact cause of death. Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., and Capt. E. C. MacKenzie presided.

At 9:30 this morning the tribunal will render decisions in a number of cases already heard, and will, during the day, hear most, if not all, of the remaining cases on the list. Nine appeals, of a total of seventeen, have already been heard. Gerald Sedger is appearing as pension advocate for the Victoria cases before the tribunal.

The appeals are by way of reference from the Board of Pension Commissioners, mostly in respect to the death of veterans in the post-war period, and from cases where some doubt is alleged to exist as to the responsibility of war service for subsequent demise. The applicants in many cases are the widows of service men who served in an active theatre of war.

### Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and  
Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFT, Victoria, B.C. (12.9m)

9:00 a.m.—Good Morning programme.

9:15 a.m.—"Timely Topics," Dr. Davis.

9:30 a.m.—Reverend programme until noon.

12:00 noon—News.

2:00 p.m.—The "Sunset Hour."

7:00 p.m.—The "Midnight Hour."

7:30 p.m.—Half-hour programme.

8:00 p.m.—Special programme.

9:00 p.m.—Book Chat.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (547.5m)

4:00 p.m.—Musical programme.

4:30 p.m.—Musical programme.

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11:00 p.m.—Musical programme.

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12:00 midnight—Wednesday Night frolic.

NBC-KGO, San Francisco (379.5m) 1940

10:15 a.m.—Merry Hile Martin's Household.

11:30 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.

12:30 noon—Rembrandt's Trip.

1:00 p.m.—Western Farm and Home hour.

1:30 p.m.—Eastern School Symphony Orchestra.

2:00 p.m.—Pacific Coast School of the Air.

3:00 p.m.—NIO station.

3:30 p.m.—Series of talks.

4:00 p.m.—Bureau of the Day.

4:30 p.m.—Salman's Restaurant Orchestra.

5:00 p.m.—John B. Kennedy Talk.

5:30 p.m.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra.

6:00 p.m.—The Vaseband.

6:30 p.m.—El Tabor's Orchestra.

7:00 p.m.—Sarah Schneider, violinist.

7:30 p.m.—Back of the Nine in Washington.

8:00 p.m.—Rodeo hour.

8:30 p.m.—Radiation Varieties.

9:00 p.m.—The Radio Boy Friends.

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10:00 a.m.—Meadow Lark Orchestra.

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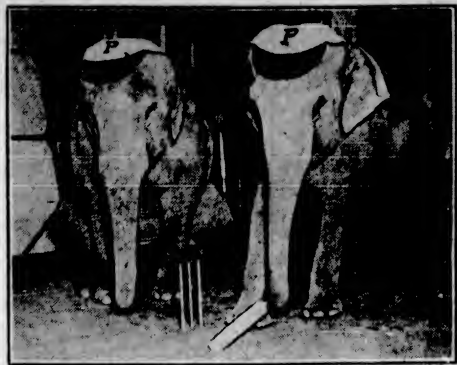
11:00 a.m.—Professor and his Dream Girl.

12:00 noon—World Book Man's World in Review.

**When constipation threatens remember these age-old non-habit-forming correctives**



## Elephants Play Cricket



ENGLAND has at last found a batsman equally as formidable as Don Bradman in one of Power's "star" elephants. These elephants are adapting themselves to cricket with great enthusiasm and their swipes are like shots from a gun. Photo shows two of the elephants, batsman and wicket keeper, complete with caps, at the wicket.

12:30 p.m.—Midday musicale.  
1:00 p.m.—Marshall Hall, tenor; Geneva Brown, soprano.  
1:15 p.m.—Dental lecture.  
1:45 p.m.—Ole Easton, tenor; Mariette Robillard, piano.  
2:00 p.m.—Mallory in Miniature.  
2:30 p.m.—Kulala Dean, blues singer.  
2:45 p.m.—Betty Anderson, soprano; news.  
3:45 p.m.—Jean Kaniner, baritone.  
4:00 p.m.—Oran concert.  
4:30 p.m.—Sports review.  
5:15 p.m.—Baron Keres' Air Castles.  
5:30 p.m.—Garden talk.  
6:00 p.m.—Hagan, Baldwin, accordion; Glen Eaton, tenor.  
6:10 p.m.—Seattle School Board talk.  
7:00 p.m.—Opera House.  
7:30 p.m.—Augmented Harmony Aces.  
8:00 p.m.—Popular melodies.  
8:30 p.m.—Thomas Lee, soprano; Jan Russell, violin; Jean Kaniner, baritone.  
9:00 p.m.—Ken Stuart's programme.  
10:00 p.m.—Oran concert.  
11:00 p.m.—Vie Meyer's Orchestra.  
12:00 midnight to 2 a.m.—Midnight Revelers.

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10:15 a.m.—NBC.

11:30 a.m.—Farm talk.

12:00 noon—Frances Penny talk.

1:00 p.m.—Concert orchestra and vocalists.

1:30 p.m.—NBC.

2:00 p.m.—Concert orchestra and vocalists.

2:30 p.m.—Vocal ensemble.

3:00 p.m.—Tropics Philharmonic.

3:15 p.m.—Popular orchestra.

3:45 p.m.—NBC.

4:15 p.m.—NBC.

5:00 p.m.—Concert trio.

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5:30 p.m.—Garden Patch programme.

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6:30 p.m.—The Navigator.

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## ANOTHER CANDIDATE MOOTED FOR CONTEST

Friends of George Clark, Patricia May, Say Name May Be Offered at Convention

Friends of George Clark, of Patricia Bay, Saanich, announced last evening they would offer his name at the Conservative nominating convention to be held at Ganges on January 14, for the selection of a candidate to stand in the by-election to fill the seat vacated by Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., on his recent appointment to the Federal Pension Tribunal.

Mr. Clark was a candidate in the general election of 1920, and at the following convention withdrew in favor of another nominee. He is a well-known breeder of purebred livestock, and has farmed in the vicinity of Patricia Bay for some time.

## BROADCAST BRIEFS OF THE AIR

General Tom Thumb, the midget whom P. T. Barnum made famous the world over, is the reincarnated guest of honor at the Arco birthday party broadcast tomorrow night between 6 and 6:30 o'clock over KOMO and the N.B.C. network.

Willard Robinson's conception of Southern melodies, both new and old, will be heard at the Maxwell House Ensemble presents a half-hour programme over the N.B.C. nation-wide network tomorrow evening between 6:30 and 7 o'clock. Robinson, composer, conductor and singer, will lead his Deep River orchestra and singers during the broadcast, which will be heard in the West over station KOMO, Seattle.

Introducing new songs as well as the familiar old favorites, Rudy Vallee will direct his Connecticut Yankees in a Fleischmann hour presentation through the N.B.C. coast-to-coast network this evening beginning at 5 o'clock. P.S.T. Vallee's voice will be heard in the chorus of each number. The broadcast will be offered over station KOMO of the National Broadcasting Company.

Del Lampe will lead his orchestra through a quintette of lively airs in the Friendly Five Footnotes programme to be heard through the N.B.C. network from 4:45 to 5 o'clock this afternoon. Fred Waldner, tenor, will sing. KOMO releases this programme in the Western area, of the N.B.C. network.

Host—Well, what do you think of these cigars, old man?

Guest—Finest things out, my dear boy.

## SOUND AUCTION and CONTRACT by WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD The World's Greatest Authority

An Informative Double of an Opening Minor Suit Bid Rather Than an Immediate Overall

Contract: South opens the bidding with One Diamond and West makes an Informative Double. North passes and East responds to the Informative Double with a bid of Two Hearts. South passes, and since the Hearts are so suitable to West's hand, he does not show his Spades but bids Three Hearts. He does not bid Four for the reason that East's Heart bid was forced. North passes and East having the A-K of Clubs as well as four Hearts to the Q-J bids Four Hearts, concluding the bidding.

Auction: The opening bids are the same as at Contract but East's bid of One Heart concludes the bidding.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING: South takes two rounds of Diamonds and then shifts to the Queen of Clubs. This latter trick East takes with the King.

Since Dummy cannot trump two Clubs and one Diamond unless he resorts to a straight cross ruff, he elects to establish the Spade suit and obtain as many discards as possible thereon. Accordingly he takes two rounds of trumps, leaving one high trump in the Dummy. He then starts the establishment of the Spades.

It makes no difference whether North takes the first or second round of Spades, as Dummy can be put in the lead either by trumping a Diamond or with the third round of Hearts. A third round of Spades from Dummy is led low. Declarer trumping, Dummy is again put in the lead either by the third round of trumps or by trumping a Diamond, dependent upon the previous action. There being two good Spades in Dummy, Declarer can discard his two Clubs, thus taking the remainder of the tricks.

Contract Bidding: 1st Rd. 2nd Rd. 3rd Rd.  
South 1♦ Pass Pass  
West Dbl. 3♥ Pass Pass  
North Pass Pass Pass  
East 2♥ 4♥

Auction Bidding: 1st Rd. 2nd Rd.  
South 1♦ Pass Pass  
West Dbl. Pass Pass  
North Pass Pass Pass  
East 1♥

That opening bid which is the greatest variety of bidding among the four hands is the Minor suit bid.

Since it requires five odd to go game at a Minor suit, there is naturally an urge upon partner of the opening bidder to make an impossible bid. Likewise, since the presence of a No Trump bid or a Major suit bid is presumably lacking in the original bidder's hand, there is more opportunity for an opponent to overcall or make an Informative Double.

For this week all of the hands will be those in which the Dealer opens the bidding with a bid of One Diamond. These are actual hands, though, of course, they did not occur in the course of one evening or even in one week's observation.

In the above deal West chooses to make an Informative Double of South's opening bid of One Diamond rather than to make a direct overall with his stronger and longer Spade suit. The hand is

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## 800 Pairs of Thread Silk Hose

Regular 65c a Pair for

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Semi-Fashioned Hose with reinforced square heels. Every pair perfect. Shades are chatcau, patio, beachskin, flesh, tantom, silver, cascade, gunmetal, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair.....39c  
—Hosiery, Main Floor



## Women's and Misses' Dresses

Reduced to Sell This  
Morning at  
\$4.50 Each

Smart Dresses of flat crepe. In a variety of new season's styles. Flared or pleated skirts, boleros and contrasting cuffs and collars. A selection of shades. Sizes 14 to 44. Each.....\$4.50  
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Table Oilcloth

White and Colored Table Oilcloth. 54 inches wide. Per yard.....50c  
—Staples, Main Floor

## GIRDLES

Fine Quality Girdles fashioned from fancy brocade and satin-finish coutil with elastic inserts. Side hook and four hose supporters. Special value, each.....95c  
—Notions, Main Floor

## Women's Smart Felt Hats

Regular to \$10.00  
Each. On Sale at...\$2.98

120 Only, Smart Felt Hats in a variety of styles and colors. Smartly trimmed. Usual prices up to \$10.00. All to be cleared at the tempting price of.....\$2.98  
—Millinery, 1st Floor

## Women's Flannelette Nightgowns and Pyjamas

Flannelette Nightgowns in slipover style with short sleeves and round neck. Each.....85c

Out-Size Flannelette Nightgowns in slipover style. White or peach. Each.....\$1.25

Heavy Quality Flannelette Pyjamas in stripes. Coat style with long sleeves. A suit.....\$1.95 and \$2.50  
—Underwear, 1st Floor

## Inner-Belt Corselettes

\$1.19 and \$1.75

A Light Model Corsetette of cotton brocade with short inner belt of coutil and elastic. Price.....\$1.19

Corsetette of fancy striped cotton with wide sections of elastic in sides and inner belt of coutil and elastic. There are two hose supporters on inner belt to hold it in place. Price.....\$1.75  
—Corsets, 1st Floor

## Good Values in Sheets and Pillow Cases

Fully Bleached Sheets that will wear well.  
Size 70 x 90 inches, each.....\$1.23  
Size 80 x 90 inches, each.....\$1.49  
Snow-White Pillow Cases with hemstitched ends. A pair.....50c and 75c  
—Staples, Main Floor

## Little Boys' Suits, \$2.50

All-Wool Two-Piece Suits, the tops in pull-over style, the pants with elastic at waist. In mauve, peach, brown and rosewood. Sizes 2 to 5 years.  
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

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